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YOUTH SUPPORT CUTS 'WILL RISK DAMAGING LIVES'

**Christmas fever
hits town**



BASINGSTOKE launched its Christmas countdown in style on Friday.

Hundreds witnessed the town's sparkling kick-start to the festive season.

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BASINGSTOKE'S 10 youth hubs supporting young people could be shut as part of plans to slash more than 80 per cent of youth support service funding.

The hours youth workers spend in the community would also be cut by 70 hours a week to save £182,162.

Hampshire County Council plans to drop funding in Basingstoke from £226,082 to £43,920.

However town leaders warned of "damaged lives" if young people do not get support they need.

The centres give 11 to 19-year-olds guidance on sexual health, drug and alcohol misuse, education, training and employment, homelessness, mental health problems and domestic abuse situations.

Liberal Democrat leader, Gavin James, said: "The county council saves itself a tiny sum on one hand, and on the other there will be more costs on police, the prison service, courts, the NHS, for charities and councils dealing with homelessness."

"Most importantly, these plans will leave people with damaged lives and the costs that inflicts on themselves, their families and friends."

Instead of 10 hubs across the borough a central hub, named a "pod" would be opened either

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in Buckskin or Basingstoke town centre.

It would run for 12 hours a week – a cutback of 118 hours from the 130 hours the 10 hubs are currently open.

The hubs are run by Basingstoke Voluntary Action charity (BVA), based in White Hart Lane, which currently gets £208,000 of the £226,082 budget.

Rooksdown Community Association, South Ham Community Association and Young Peoples' Counselling get the rest.

BVA strategic manager for youth team, Ed Ives-Wara, said: "Young people will be crying out for more support and more help and it just won't be available."

He added: "There are groups of young people who stay in their own area and don't like to cross into other boundaries."

From 2013 to 2014 the BVA supported over 6,000 young people.

Labour's parliamentary candidate for Basingstoke, Paul Harvey, said: "The plans are very disturbing - they are just decimating the youth services of our town and it is shocking when so many people rely on them."

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Race is on for Miss Hampshire tiara

A BASINGSTOKE beauty queen has been grafting hard to be crowned Miss Hampshire next year.

Nicola Ascroft, 21, of Hargreaves Close in Everest Park, will face another Basingstoke candidate as well as a group of Hampshire hopefuls for the county's crown.

She found out that she was a finalist in the competition three weeks ago.

Miss Ascroft entered the Miss England competition earlier this year, which put her through the regional stage of the competition.

She said: "I am so excited about this to be honest."

"It is great to have a goal to work towards and I have been enjoying all the work that comes with it."

The Miss Hampshire winner will then go on to the Miss England competition.

Miss Hampshire competition

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finalists have to take part in two categories - a charity category and eco queen category.

For the charity category, finalists have to raise money for Beauty with a Purpose, the charity associated with Miss World focusing on humanitarian projects around the world.

For the eco queen category, contestants have to design their own dress.

Contestants can also enter into four other categories - a talent category to display their skills in a chosen hobby; a popularity category, where they have to show their adeptness at reaching media outlets; a photography award, where they are snapped by a professional photographer who then chooses the most photogenic queen; and

a social media category, where contestants have to gain the most likes on pictures posted on Facebook.

And Nicola has entered into all four.

She said: "If I were to win, I would really look forward to representing Hampshire in anyway I can - it would be a great sense of achievement."

"It is absolutely amazing to have reached this stage."

Miss Ascroft, who enjoys ice figure skating in her spare time, runs a beauty salon in Sherfield-on-Loddon - D&D Beauty - following in the footsteps of her mother.

"I have always been around beauty with my mother having her own salon, it is just something I grew up with," she said.

The winner of Miss Hampshire will be crowned on a date to be decided in March or April.

• Nicola Ascroft, 21



Young people face cuts

• From front page

He added: "If this is what they mean by austerity, when you penalise the poorest and neediest in society, then it is disgusting because we need these services."

A public consultation on the plans is running until December 11 at hants.gov.uk/ysscconsultation.

Due to government cuts, the county council has to make savings of £102million, with £26m from children services.

Hampshire County Council's executive lead member for children services, Keith Mans, said: "Funding reductions mean the county council must look at all areas of its business and develop more cost-effective ways to deliver services with limited resources."

"In order for us to be able to continue to provide valuable support to young people, outside of our statutory obligations, we must find ways to do this differently and more efficiently - targeting the reduced funding we have available, to where it is most needed."

The 10 hubs:

- Kingsclere hub - in the Fieldgate Centre
- Brighton Hill hub - in Brighton Hill Methodist Church
- Melrose hub - in Melrose Hall, Popley
- Wednesday Music Jam hub - in The Orchard, White Hart Lane, Basingstoke
- NEETS drop-in for young people - in The Orchard, White Hart Lane, Basingstoke
- Tadley hub - in Tadley Community Centre on Wednesdays
- Whitchurch Jamming hub - in the Methodist Church on Wednesdays
- Tadley hub - Tadley Community Centre on Thursdays
- Whitchurch hub - in the Methodist Church on Fridays
- Fort Hill School hub - in Winklebury, Basingstoke

'Ukip on the road'?

UKIP's parliamentary candidate for Basingstoke believes his chances of getting a seat rocketed when Mark Reckless won the Rochester by-election last week.

Alan Stone, who owns Squirrels Antiques in New Street, was door knocking on the campaign trail with Mark Reckless in Rochester the Saturday before the elections.

He said: "Reckless was grafting hard - there was so much to do."

"Rochester has improved my chances in Basingstoke no end. "Ukip is now bringing politics to the people."

Mark Reckless won re-election as MP of Rochester and Strood on November 21 after defecting to Ukip from the Conservatives.

He became Ukip's second MP after Douglas Carswell won a by-election in October following a similar defection.

Basingstoke MP Maria Miller was unavailable for comment.



• (Left to right) Ukip MP Douglas Carswell, Alan Stone and Ukip MP Mark Reckless canvassing in Rochester

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Men attacked

BASINGSTOKE: Two men walking home from a night out were attacked in Basingstoke on Saturday.

At around 1.30am, a group of three men were heading home in Thorneycroft Lane when one went into the BP Garage on West Ham roundabout.

The other two men waited nearby and were punched in the head and kicked in the stomach by two men.

One attacker was about 20-years-old, mixed race, six ft tall, lean, and slim with short black curly hair.

He was wearing a beige hooded top and dark track-suit bottoms.

The other is described as white or mixed race, 6ft 1in, aged 20, with short, dark hair and was wearing blue hooded top and dark bottoms.

Anyone with information should call police on 101.

Free parking

BASINGSTOKE: Free parking dates over the Christmas period have been announced.

On Friday, December 5, parking in Central Car Park, Jacob's Yard, Joice's Yard, Albert Yard, Caston's Yard and Southern Road will be free from 3pm for those attending the Top of the Town Christmas event.

There will be three hours free parking throughout the day on December 6 in the same car parks.

And two car parks and the borough council's civic offices, Eastlands and Parklands, will be free on November 29 and 30.

They will then be open every weekend in December and the first weekend in January with reduced charges of £2.50 for up to four hours and £3 all day.

Live protest

BASINGSTOKE: A protest against the outsourcing of Basingstoke Live is due to take place today before a scrutiny committee meeting at 6.30pm.

The plans to outsource Basingstoke Live to a private company in order to save costs were approved on October 25.

The decision was called in however, meaning the scrutiny committee will have to reconsider the decision.

The protest is set for outside the council's civic offices in London Road from 5pm.

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Christmas arrives in 'Stoke



• Keith Chegwin, Concept, Santa and his elves set to push the button for the light switch-on

BASINGSTOKE saw a stunning launch of the festive season during the Christmas light switch-on in Festival Place on Friday.

Hundreds of residents from the town and surrounding areas flocked to the shopping centre for live music, on-stage banter rounded off by a spectacular fireworks display.

TV presenter Keith Chegwin, boy band Concept, and Santa with his horde of elves all took to the outdoor stage to entertain families keen to mark the countdown to Christmas.

Basingstoke resident, Rebecca Dunlop, 36, of Oakridge, said: "This is the second time I have come to the Christmas light switch-on."

"It is a big deal to me as last year I was in hospital after having a brain haemorrhage."

"I appreciate Christmas now

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— whereas I didn't before — and it is something Basingstoke celebrates so well."

Music by the Basingstoke Rock Choir, local group Common Ground and X Factor boys Concept kept the crowd content before comic Keith Chegwin had people giggling when he pulled up a member of the crowd to dance.

"I hope you remember me folks," the star shouted when he hit the stage, joking with Concept and the elves before the countdown to the fireworks.

After hitting the big red button a ten-minute firework display lit up Basingstoke's skies something magnificent.

"There is something for every-

one here," said Worting resident Odette Dougan, 32, who came along with her two children.

"Everyone is enjoying the music, the kids are excited to see Santa Claus and all the adults all remember Keith Chegwin."

"I couldn't think of a better way to bring Christmas to the town."

Bucksland resident Jeanne Saunders, 42, said: "It's events like this that really make you proud of Basingstoke."

"Christmas is something that brings people together and everyone from the town can enjoy it tonight."

Festival Place centre director Steve Connolly, added: "The Christmas light switch-on and fireworks spectacular on Friday was a fantastic event."

"We were delighted so many people turned out to celebrate the start of the festive season."



Concept hit hometown for Xmas special

BOY band Concept had fans falling at their feet when they travelled back to Basingstoke for a festive show on Friday.

The five piece, made up of Scott Dicks, Matt Goodenough, Ben Selley, Karim Newton and Nathan Gittens, greeted screaming fans at the Christmas light switch on in

Festival Place.

The 20-year-olds performed the song that got them through to the judges' houses stage on TV talent show X Factor, Snow Patrol's 'Run', with the same amount of ease and flair that residents witnessed on ITV just two months ago.

Scott, said: "It was absolutely crazy to have that support from our hometown — we never expected to have that reception."

"It is the first time we have performed in our town since X Factor."

"It was so surreal."

The lads also performed a cover of N.E.R.D's 'She Wants to Move' and their own song 'Young and Rebel-

lious', before signing autographs and posing for selfies with adoring fans.

Matt said: "We feel so blessed to have such amazing support from the people of our hometown."

Nathan added: "It's always incredible and always full of support."

"I love coming back home."

"It never ceases to amaze me. We love our town."

Concept will now be touring the UK and plan to have an album out by the second half of next year.

"We are looking at different labels and whatever suits us as a group we will go for," Scott told the Observer.

"It feels so good to have people appreciate our music."

"We want to keep our fans happy — so much is going to happen in the New Year!"

• (Above and left) Concept back on stage in Basingstoke for the first time since X Factor



• Hundreds gathered for the evening entertainment

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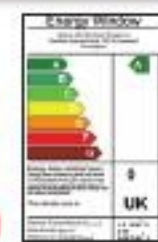
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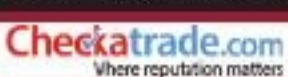
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Spider-Dad's surprise for ill son is YouTube hit

A TERMINALLY ill Basingstoke boy's surprise birthday visit from his favourite superhero has clocked up more than 7.5million YouTube views.

Jayden Wilson, five, was diagnosed with a brain tumour in September 2013 when he was taken for brain scan after falling and bumping his head.

But on his fifth birthday, his freerunning dad, Michael Wilson, decided to give him a birthday treat to remember by jumping off the house roof to surprise him as Spider-Man.

The video posted on November 16 became an Internet hit.

Basingstoke Twitter user, @shanvalentine said: "The dad that dressed as Spider-Man and his son Jayden live in my town. They are so sweet."

While @travis heath tweeted: "What a great dad. Sounds like this brought some happiness to little Jayden!"

Mr Wilson said on his YouTube page: "Today he is still with us fighting it all the way, but at least he has Spider-Man to take care of him."

• Five-year-old Jayden being surprised by his favourite superhero jumping out the sky

A NEW police station could be opened in Basingstoke in 2016.

Hampshire's Police and Crime Commissioner, Simon Hayes, submitted a planning application to the borough council for the Police Investigation Centre (PIC) last month.

It is for a three-storey centre, single-storey custody building and two-storey van dock with vehicle access and 250 parking spaces in Jays Close.

The application states plans will mean Hampshire Constabulary can cut costs in investigating crimes and become quicker at processing people in custody, or prisoners.

Old custody centres in Aldershot, Basingstoke and Winchester will close, allowing "frontline officers to leave the PIC promptly to patrol their local communities thus supporting victims and witnesses."

The proposed centre will serve Basingstoke, Winchester, Andover, Alton, Aldershot and Farnborough and would streamline investigative staff in one building.

According to the application it would reduce the amount of time frontline officers spend in custody.

The application states: "The combination of modern technology and the co-location of

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investigative staff will enable the prompt administration of justice.

"This in turn will place victims and witnesses at the heart of the police and the wider criminal justice system."

Plans are for the centre to be open for 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

A total of 350 staff would work there on a shift basis.

Staff and officers would relo-

cate from current police stations in Aldershot, Alton, Andover, Basingstoke, Winchester and Whitechurch.

The centre would also have a lost property area where the public could go to retrieve lost and stolen property.

Belongings seized by police would also be stored there.

Mr Hayes chose Mace Group Ltd as the construction manager for the project.

A target decision date of January 19, 2015, has been set by the borough council.

If approved the centre could open in 2016.



• 3D computer generated image of what the police station could look like

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TV doc on hand



BASINGSTOKE: Celebrity TV doctor Hilary Jones was at Festival Place to offer out a solution to one of Hampshire's number one health complaints.

The GP at Basingstoke and North Hampshire Hospital, who was on GMTV and has featured on Dancing on Ice, spoke to residents about stomach issues on November 21.

The doctor was launching a new kind of milk called A2 Milk - which contains a different protein safe for people with stomach problems attributed to dairy.

He said: "Many people who struggle to digest dairy often believe they are lactose intolerant, however this is very infrequently the case."

"A more common reason is in fact the protein in the milk. The A2 protein is less likely to cause digestive discomfort."

Cabinet meets

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: The borough council's cabinet is due to meet next Tuesday, December 2.

The cabinet will meet at 6.30pm in the council office's committee rooms in London Road.

Residents can attend the meeting to observe and ask councillors questions.

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Final design for new Hook development

DETAILED plans for 60 new homes in Hook have been submitted to Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council for final permission.

Housebuilder Taylor Wimpey is planning to build the homes at High Ridge Farm, off Brown Croft.

Taylor Wimpey received outline planning permission for the project in May - as long as the detailed plans are also approved.

The proposal has earmarked a 13.3-acre area of open space for the development, which would cover 21 acres of green fields west of Brown Croft.

In the previous proposal, nine affordable one-bedroom apartments, seven affordable two-bedroom apartments, four private and seven three-bedroom houses, and 21 private and one affordable four-bedroom houses were included.

A total of 11 private five-bedroom homes are also included in the plans.

A public consultation ran yesterday at Elizabeth Hall, in Raven Road.

The technical director for Taylor Wimpey, Jonathan Miller, said: "We want to give local people the chance to have their say on our development proposals and by taking part in this consultation, residents can help to influence our scheme before our planning application is finalised for submission."

Information unveiled at the consultation can now be seen by residents at taylorwimpey.co.uk/hook.

Jailed for attacking police with handcuffs

By Mathew Di Salvo

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A MAN who attacked two women police officers with the handcuffs they were trying to shackle him with has been jailed for almost two years.

Kyle Butler, 20, of Fylingdales Close, Basingstoke, was sentenced to 20 months behind bars at Winchester Crown Court last Monday, November 24.

Judge Kieth Cutler described the assault as "horrendous" when Butler flew into a rage on August 3 this year.

The officers were answering an emergency call to his house in Fylingdales Close, Basingstoke.

They were met in the street by Butler and tried to reason with him.

But Butler started waving his arms and threatening them.

When they then tried to handcuff Butler he attacked them both.

Both the officers had to have medical treatment for serious injuries.

Following the Winchester court sentencing, chairman of the Hampshire Police Federation, John Apter, said: "Policing is dangerous and demanding, but being assaulted must never be acceptable or considered as just part of the job."

He added: "I am pleased to see the courts have treated this matter with the seriousness it deserved."

A male police officer later managed to detain Butler.

Butler pleaded guilty to charges of affray, assaulting a police officer and to the breach of a suspended sentence order before trial.

He was ordered to pay £200 compensation to the two police officers.

Butler was also sentenced for another previous incident in which he assaulted a male police officer.

Hampshire Constabulary's commander for Basingstoke, chief inspector Simon Dodds, said: "Across the country, police officers work extremely hard to keep their local communities safe."

"They come to work knowing that their job has an element of risk, as part of their duty to protect the public."

"However assaulting an officer must never be seen as just part of the job."

"It is unacceptable, and I am pleased that the courts have recognised the seriousness of the offence."

"All three officers have recovered and are back on full duties, which is to their credit."



• Kyle Butler, 20, assaulted two police officers

News Bites

Christmas truce

BASINGSTOKE: A First World War remembrance football match is to be held in Basingstoke on Tuesday, December 9.

WW1 Football Remembers: The Christmas Truce will see an under 15s match between charities Saints Foundation and Pompey in the Community.

It is being run by The Hampshire Football Association, costing £2 for adults and £1 for under 16s.

Money raised will go towards the Help for Heroes charity.

Kick-off is at 7.15pm at Winklesbury Football Complex in Winklesbury Way.

It is in memory of a football match held on Christmas Day of 1914 in the trenches during the war between German and British troops.

Road closures

HAMPSHIRE: Road surface repair works will be taking place tomorrow on the M3 junction 8 to 9 Basingstoke to Winchester.

The southbound carriageway will be closed from 10pm to 6am, November 27.

There will be a diversion in place via the A303 and A34.

The North Waltham west-bound entry slip road from the A33 will be closed on the same night between 10pm and 6am while road markings are redone.

Alton meeting

ALTON: The next Alton Town Council meeting will take place on Wednesday, December 3 from 7pm at their base in Market Square.

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Xmas donations

BASINGSTOKE: A plea to residents for donations of Christmas decorations is being made by a hospital to decorate its children's ward.

Hand-outs including trees, stockings, lights and bells can be dropped off at Access Self Storage in Slington House, Rankine Road.

They will then be donated to the ward in Frimley Park Hospital, Surrey.

Beauty face-off

BASINGSTOKE: A Basingstoke woman could see the facemask she designed go on sale for an international beauty business.

Alex Hooker, 23, of Magnus Drive, created an elderflower and apple peel off mask as part of a competition and has made it to the finals.

The winner will see leading brand Montagne Jeunesse, based in Wales, launch the product on sale.

Voting to decide the winner opened on Monday at Facebook.com/Montagne-Jeunesse.

The winner will be announced when voting closes on December 2.

Lottery grant

HOOK: Hook Allotment Association has bought a storage shed and compostable toilet with a £10,000 grant from the Big Lottery.

The toilet works with wood shavings instead of water when it is flushed.

The Hook association is raising funds to buy 5.38 acres of land for people to use at the site off Reading Road.

Nearly half crimes not recorded, report finds

POLICE in Hampshire failed to record 40 per cent of crimes, a police watchdog has found.

The report published last Tuesday by Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary (HMIC) described "unacceptable weaknesses" within Hampshire Constabulary.

The police inspection scrutinised 43 forces across England and Wales and found in Hampshire almost half of crimes were not recorded between November 1, 2012, and October 31, 2013.

Of 112 crimes in Hampshire, only 67 were actually recorded as crimes by Hampshire Constabulary - meaning 45 incidents of crime were disregarded.

The report said: "HMIC's inspection of Hampshire Constabulary's crime recording practices revealed some unacceptable weaknesses."

Of the 67 crimes that were recorded, eight were wrongly classified and two were recorded outside the 72-hour limit allowed under the Home Office Counting Rules.

The report added: "This is of serious concern as it means that some crimes are not being recorded and the victims are not getting the service they deserve (for example, because certain victim support services are only triggered when a crime is recorded.)"

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However, the report did state there is a "strong victim focus in the force".

Detective superintendent Rachel Farrell, of Hampshire Constabulary, said: "There is no evidence in Hampshire Constabulary of institutionalised performance pressure not to record crime correctly."

"We are already seeing improvement."

"We are recording crime on our systems every year and if that means that public trust and confidence in policing also goes up then that can only be positive."

She added: "There are some things our report acknowledges we do well on such as ethics, victim service, crime classification, accuracy and our use of out of court disposals."

"However where we fall short is around accuracy in turning reported incidents into crime records or properly writing up why an incident is not a crime."

During the same report it was also revealed that the police in Hampshire have seen a 53 per cent increase in reports of rape from the public within the last three years.



Road delays while £200m build goes up

DRIVERS are being warned of major delays from this week following the closure of Basing View road while the new £200million John Lewis and Waitrose stores are being built.

The north-south section of Basing View between Lower Basing View and the mini roundabout at Norn Hill Bridge were shut on Sunday until March 2015.

Traffic will be diverted through the centre of Basing View while work on the multi-million pound stores take place.

Basingstoke and Deane cabinet member for property, John

Izett, said: "Closing this section of the road is an essential part of the work to create a new road for the Waitrose and John Lewis home store."

"We are concerned that this closure will result in delays for motorists travelling to and from Basing View and into the town centre, therefore we are working with the contractor, Hampshire County Council, and businesses at Basing View to try and reduce this as much as possible."

Building work on the 73,000 sq ft site started in July.

A total of 330 jobs are to be created as a result of the new

combined Waitrose and John Lewis home store.

The borough council has offered over 700 free centre shuttle passes to business users in Basing View.

Temporary bus stops will also be put up for the centre shuttles and Stagecoach buses along the diversion.

It is advised that people should try and find an alternative route during peak times when travelling to Gresley Road via the Eastrop roundabout.

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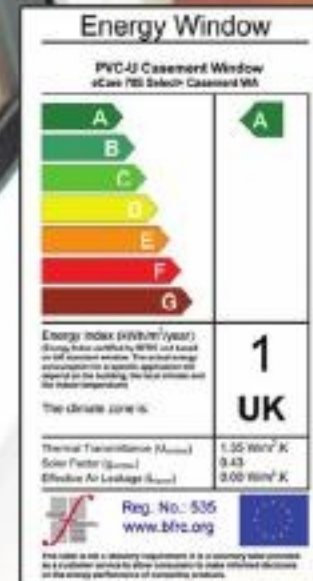
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Hospital plans

NORTH WALTHAM: A scoping opinion request for a planned new hospital in North Waltham was submitted to Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council on Friday.

The proposal is for a 24-hour emergency trauma hospital on a greenfield site off the A30, near junction 7 of the M3.

A scoping opinion asks council officers for advice on what environmental matters need to be considered as part of a future planning application - which is yet to be submitted.

The Observer previously reported a location for the hospital, announced on November 6, which could be built next to a planned new £13million cancer centre for Basingstoke to serve North Hampshire.

Manydown

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: The Manydown overview committee will meet tomorrow.

It is the second meeting of the new committee formed to plan the Manydown development of 3,400 homes across 2,000 acres in Manydown.

The meeting is at the council's civic offices in London Road from 6.30pm.

Charity jazz

BASINGSTOKE: A jazz band charity show at Queen Mary's College on Saturday will raise funds for community projects.

Newbury-based Apollo Big Band will be performing at the Cliddesden Road college from 7pm to 10.30pm.

Tickets cost £12.

Singer uses spotlight to beat cyber bullies

A BASINGSTOKE singer, who knows herself the pain cyber bullying can cause, has been visiting schools using music to teach pupils about the dangers.

Hannah Jane Lewis, 25, from Bramley, began a tour of schools across the south-east last week.

After launching her own music career, online trolls lashed out on social media.

The singer-songwriter said: "It is my job to display a lot of my life and music online on all of the various different social media sites."

"I have YouTube comments that say I am hideously ugly, ter-

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rible at singing and how I make their 'ears bleed'.

"Due to this and my age I am able to get through to them in a more effective way than a teacher as they seem to relate to me just that little bit more."

A YouTube cover song in which Hannah sings with Shaun Reynolds has clocked up more than 246,000 views.

While her own latest track Seventeen Again has had more than 17,000 views.

During visits Hannah sings



• Hannah Jane Lewis at Harris Academy in Morden, Surrey

her own and cover songs before giving an interactive speech to pupils.

"It genuinely gives me a heavy heart to speak to them at school and witness the glances that they make to each other when I mention something that hits home, or the tears I see them trying to hold back when giving them advice on the steps they can do to make it stop," she said.

"I am used to some children not wanting to listen as I previously toured schools to talk about the dangers of abusing drugs, alcohol and smoking, but with cyber bullying everyone listens because it is such a big issue."

Hannah is planning to carry on her tour into 2015 with a December break over Christmas.



• Singer-songwriter Hannah Jane Lewis

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'Green energy funds unspent'

TWO years ago Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council set aside £1million to invest in green energy.

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It sounds implausible, perhaps unbelievable - the truth is the Conservatives have no drive or desire to support the green agenda or improve the borough.

Now they are actually proposing to scrap the fund all together.

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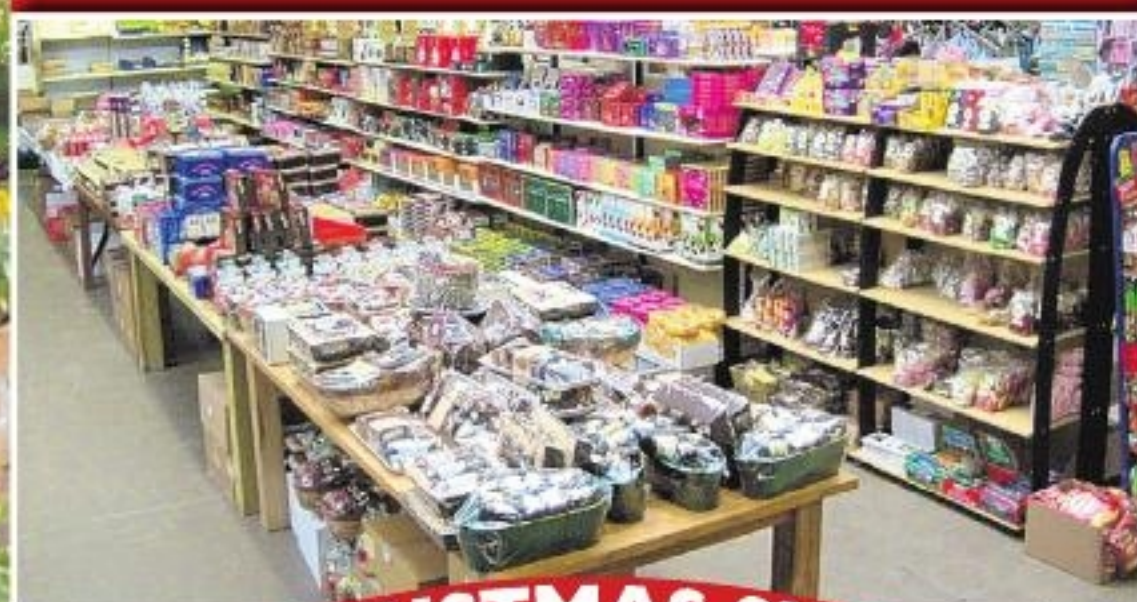
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In it to win it?

BASINGSTOKE AND DEANE: St Michael's Hospice has announced the winners of its latest lottery from November 21.

First prize of £1,000 goes to ticket 57946 of Alton, while ticket 08186 of Kempshott claims second prize of £100.

Third prize of £50 goes to Basingstoke ticket 80517, and Basingstoke ticket 66431 gets fourth prize of £20.

Sixteen prizes of £5 go to tickets 08006, 10845, 12716, 14873, 16641, 18806, 24240, 27642, 31956, 35523, 55538, 56427, 69483, 79802, 81170 and 95190.

Football stadium survey illegal?



• Artist's impressions of the new Eastrop site and (below) councillor Gavin James

By Mathew Di Salvo

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A PUBLIC consultation on plans for a new £10million Basingstoke football Stadium may have been unlawful, councillors have claimed.

A six-week long public consultation on the plans for a new 5,124-seater stadium in Old Common Road, Eastrop, ran over August and October.

The feedback and findings are still being reviewed, but Eastrop councillors have fired accusations that the consultation was illegal because it did not give residents more than one option.

Eastrop councillors Stuart Parker and Gavin James said a 2014 Supreme Court judgement in a similar case ruled a consultation was unsound.

In Haringey, London, a woman took her council to court over its Council Tax Reduction Scheme.

Councillor Parker said: "The Law Lords decided that, in view of the fact that no alternative choices were mentioned to residents, the validity of the public consultation, carried out by the London Borough of Haringey, was flawed."

"We have a similar situation here where the council's consultation on building a stadium on the Old Common included no mention of possible alternative sites, nor did it ask residents to consider whether the Council should be offering land to the football club at all."

"As a result, residents were not given an opportunity to express their preferred choice."

The councillors raised the matter with Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council.

Project portfolio holder for Basingstoke council, John Izett, said: "We obviously want to check it as we do with other issues relating to the decision."

"We have a checklist we have to look at and examine and if this concern has relevance then we have to examine it."

"We have got to make sure all these and other considerations are looked at so we can make a sound decision."

Basingstoke Town wants to upgrade its current Soccer AM Stadium in Western Way, which holds 2,500.

However concerns about the loss of green open space were raised by councillors Laura James, Gavin James, Paul Harvey and Stuart Parker.

A decision, which was due to be made at the end of October, has been delayed.

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Xmas festivities

BASINGSTOKE: Basingstoke Area Choir and Four Lanes Community Junior Choir will sing Silent Night in English and German as part of the town's Christmas celebrations in Top of Town next month.

Children from the choirs will be marking the 1914 Christmas truce in which Germans and British troops celebrated Christmas from trenches during the war.

The performance is part of an evening of Christmas celebrations in the Top of Town on Friday, December 5, from 5pm to 8pm.

Council meeting

WHITCHURCH: The next scheduled meeting of Whitchurch Town Council will take place on Monday, November 27.

The resources and policy committee is due to meet at Whitchurch Town Hall in Newbury Street at 7.30pm.



Details now out for 130 Chineham homes plan

EXTRA details have been published about plans for 130 new homes on a controversial site in Chineham.

Pal Properties Limited and Savills submitted an outline planning application on November 5 for the development next to Chineham Business Park.

Additional documents have now been published on Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council's website revealing of the 130 homes, 104 would be houses and 26 apartments.

They include a mix of 29 two-bedroom houses, 58 three-bedroom houses and 17 four or more bedroom houses.

Five apartments would have one bedroom, 16 would have

two bedrooms and five would have three bedrooms.

Director of planning at Savills, Chris Rees, said: "The proposal will deliver both open market and affordable housing within the settlement boundary of Basingstoke."

However, the Observer previously reported Chineham councillors blasted the plans.

Councillor Martin Biermann described it as "atrocious."

Concerns were raised over traffic, and lack of infrastructure - as well as unsuitable school catchments.

A public consultation on the plans was held in July.

The borough council is due to make a decision on the application by February 4.

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Quick Clues Across

- 4 Female relative (6)
- 8 Sang (7)
- 9 Terrified (6)
- 10 Transmitting apparatus (9)
- 11 Strip of fabric (4)
- 13 Prepares for publication (5)
- 14 Liberty (7)
- 16 Start a quarrel (7)
- 18 Flood (5)
- 19 Consumes (4)
- 21 Nomads (9)
- 22 Expenditure (6)
- 23 Group (7)
- 24 Highest points (6)

Quick Clues Down

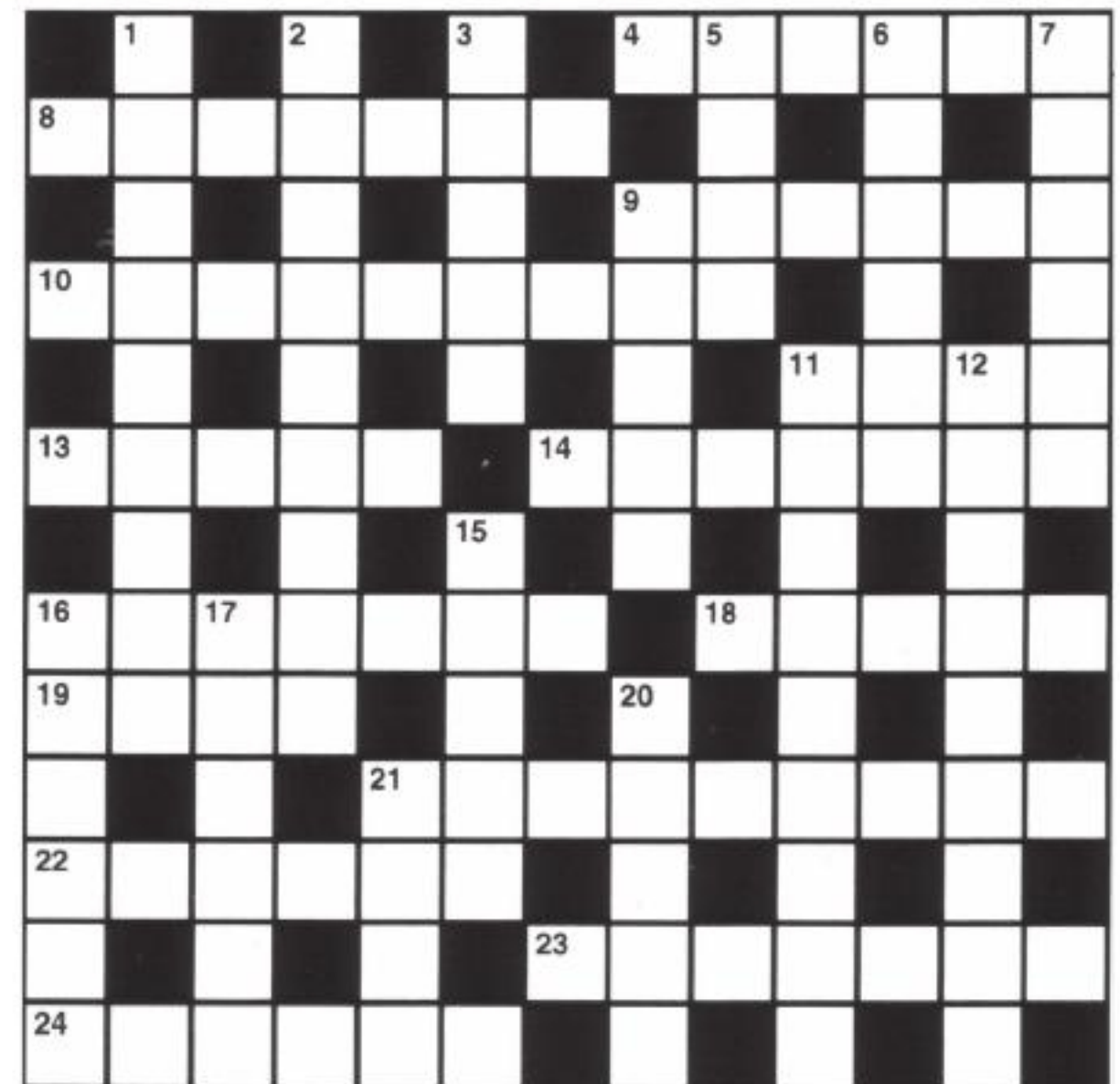
- 1 Collies (9)
- 2 Shareholders (9)
- 3 Cheerful (5)
- 5 Move very slowly (4)
- 6 Fine cord (6)
- 7 Buy back (6)
- 9 Recreational activity
- 11 Moderate (9)
- 12 Coming after (9)
- 15 Attempt (5)
- 16 Dawn (6)
- 17 Kindly (6)
- 20 Notions (5)
- 21 Grow dim (4)

Cryptic Clues Across

- 4 Frightened in Biafra, I dare say (6)
- 8 Claimed to get the point (7)
- 9 An eavesdropper of low degree (6)
- 10 An everyday remark showing restrained breadth (9)
- 11 Was Goliath keen to behead his opponent? (4)
- 13 Behead the guard to gain admittance (5)
- 14 Do they till the soil beyond distant French seas? (7)
- 16 He doesn't enjoy life, producing vinegar all around the south
- 18 Inclined to soak (5)
- 19 Looks as though she would provide shelter (4)
- 21 Give us our part to be carried away (9)
- 22 Curtail the action before the writer can make it more profound (6)
- 23 Forbid one as fruit (7)
- 24 Are its ingredients wholly ironic? (6)

Cryptic Clues Down

- 1 Helpers in disarray pour out again (9)
- 2 Trots back and died without (9)
- 3 Superfluous midriff, by the sound of it (5)
- 5 Watch this for the time being (4)
- 6 A recess in rural Coventry (6)
- 7 Is frightened of disturbing the snakes (6)
- 9 I do business with a model (5)
- 11 City for the Dutch master mad about a new movement? (9)
- 12 Not even abnormal (9)
- 15 Does the prima donna begin her note on the couch? (5)
- 16 A team's undertones? (6)
- 17 Join me in the money (6)
- 20 Here's a mixed toast to the funny animal (5)
- 21 Bring up, or it could be brought up (4)



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8	4			6	3			
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	9	1				5		6
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This week's solutions

1	5	4	2	8	3	7	6	9
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1	9	4	5	2	6	7	3	8
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6	2	7	1	4	5	3	8	9
8	4	5	9	6	3	1	7	2

Quick Crossword
Across: 4 Sister 8 Charred 9 Scared
10 Telegraph 11 Tape 13 Edits 14 Freedom
16 Aggress 18 Spate 19 Uses 21 Wanderers
22 Outlay 23 Faction 24 Apexes
Down: 1 Sheepdogs 2 Investors 3 Merry
5 Inch 6 Thread 7 Redeem 9 Sport
11 Temperate 12 Posterior 15 Essay 16 Aurora
17 Gentle 20 Ideas 21 Wine
Cryptic Crossword
Across: 4 Afraid 8 Decimal 9 kicde 10 Latitude
11 Avid 13 Entry 14 Farmers 16 Asceic
18 Sleep 19 Shed 21 Rapturous 22 Deepen
23 Bananas 24 Sature
Down: 1 Replenish 2 Distorted 3 Waste
5 Face 6 Alcove 7 Dreads 9 Ideal 11
Amsterdam 12 Irregular 15 Divan 16 Asides
17 Cement 20 Stout 21 Rear

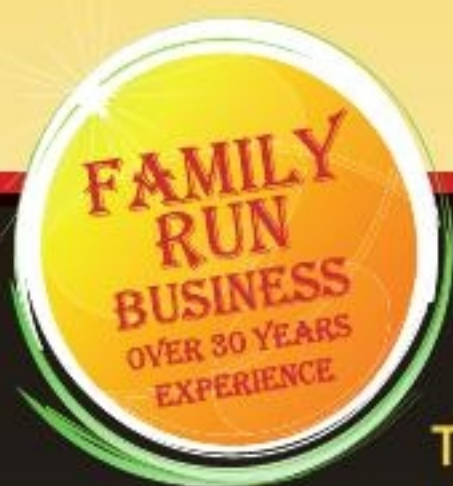
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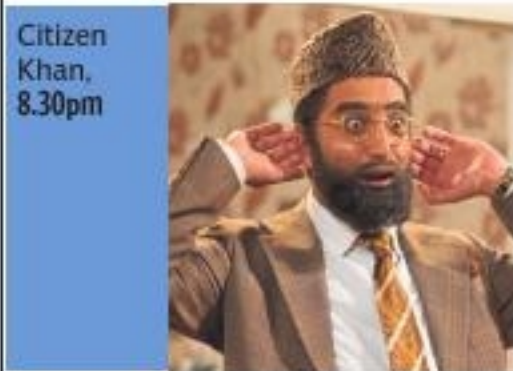
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BBC1



Citizen Khan, 8.30pm
6.00 Breakfast (T) **9.15 Don't Mess with Me** (T) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (T)(R) **11.00 Claimed and Shamed** (T) **11.30 Channel Patrol** (T) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (T)(R) **1.00 BBC News; Weather** (T) **1.30 BBC Regional News and Weather** (T) **1.45 Doctors** (T) **2.15 The Doctor Blake Mysteries** There is a fire in the cinema projection room. (T) **3.10 Escape to the Country** (T)(R) **3.40 Glorious Gardens from Above** (T) **4.25 Flog It!** From the Sheldonian Theatre in Oxford. (T)(R) **5.15 Pointless** (T)(R) **6.00 BBC News; Weather** (T) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes; Weather** (T)

7.00 The One Show Hosted by Chris Evans and Alex Jones. (T)
7.30 The Two Ronnies Sketchbook The comedy duo present their favourite sketches. (T) BBC News; Regional News (T)

8.00 EastEnders A distraught Ian faces a tough decision. (T)
8.30 Citizen Khan Mr Khan tries to wangle an invitation to meet Prince Charles. (T)

9.00 Have I Got News for You Hosted by Alexander Armstrong. (T)
9.30 Not Going Out Frank's drinking becomes a problem. (T)

10.00 BBC News (T)
10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather; (T) National Lottery Update (T)
10.35 The Graham Norton Show With Nicole Kidman, Hugh Bonneville and Take That. (T)

11.20 Cuckoo Dylan decides to plan a party. (T)
11.50 EastEnders Omnibus. The pressure of looking after Patrick is taking its toll on Denise. (T)(R)

1.45 Weather for the Week Ahead (T)
1.50 BBC News (T)

BBC2



QI, 10pm
9.05 Sign Zone: The Great Interior Design Challenge (T)(R) **10.05 Sign Zone: Children's Hospital: The Chaplains** (T)(R) **10.35 The Travel Show** (T) **11.00 BBC News** (T) **11.30 BBC World News** (T) **12.00 Daily Politics** (T) **1.00 The A to Z of TV Gardening** (T)(R) **1.10 Life in the Undergrowth** (T)(R) **2.10 The Great British Bake Off: The Winner's Story** (T)(R) **3.10 A Place to Call Home** (T) **3.55 The Rockford Files** (T)(R) **4.45 Great British Railway Journeys** (T)(R) **5.15 Vintage Antiques Roadshow** (T) **6.00 Eggheads** (T)(R) **6.30 Strictly Come Dancing - It Takes Two** (T)

7.00 The Home That Two Built How BBC Two reflected shifting lifestyle trends during the 1980s, with Ken Hom, Jilly Goolden, Keith Floyd and Barbara Woodhouse all becoming unlikely TV stars. (T)

8.00 Mastermind Specialist subjects include Marc Bolan and 'Allo 'Allo! (T)
8.30 Tigers About the House The cubs are allowed outside for the first time. (T)(R)

9.30 Mock the Week Highlights of the comedy quiz. (T)(R)

10.00 QI With Josh Widdicombe, Aisling Bea and Tony Hawks. (T)
10.30 Newsnight (T)

11.00 Weather (T)
11.05 Never Mind the Buzzcocks (T)(R)
11.35 FILM AI: Artificial Intelligence (2001) (12) Sci-fi drama, starring Haley Joel Osment. (T)

1.50 FILM Quatermass 2 (1957) (PG) Hammer sci-fi horror sequel, starring Brian Donlevy. (T) **3.15 Sign Zone: Question Time** (T)(R) **4.15 This Is BBC Two** (T)

ITV



Coronation Street, 7.30pm
6.00 Good Morning Britain (T) **8.30 Lorraine** (T) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (T) **10.30 This Morning** (T) **12.30 Loose Women** (T) **1.30 ITV News** (T) **1.55 ITV Regional News; Weather** (T) **2.00 Peter Andre's 60-Minute Makeover** The team heads to Reigate, Surrey. (T) **3.00 Secret Dealers** The experts bid on an impressive collection of jewellery. (T) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (T) **4.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (T)(R) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (T) **6.00 ITV Regional News; Weather** (T) **6.30 ITV News** (T)

7.00 Emmerdale DI Bails gives Pete 24 hours to get Charity to confess to arson. (T)
7.30 Coronation Street Tracy tries to get Todd to leave the house. (T)

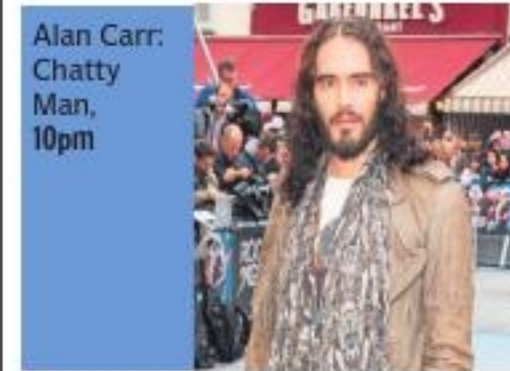
8.00 The Martin Lewis Money Show New series. Black Friday deals and Christmas savings. (T)
8.30 Coronation Street Mary gets the wrong idea when Dev asks her round. (T)

9.00 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here! Ant and Dec present an update from the camp as the celebrities take on more terrifying challenges for the entertainment of the public. (T)

10.00 ITV News and Weather (T)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (T)
10.45 FILM The World Is Not Enough (1999) (12) James Bond is assigned to protect an oil heiress from an infamous terrorist planning to destroy a pipeline. Spy adventure, with Pierce Brosnan, Robert Carlyle and Sophie Marceau. (T)

1.05 Jackpot247 **3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA** (T)(R) **3.45 ITV Nightscreen**

Channel 4



Alan Carr: Chatty Man, 10pm
6.20 The King of Queens (T)(R) **7.10 3rd Rock from the Sun** (T)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (T)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (T)(R) **10.00 Daily Brunch** (T) **11.00 Jamie's Comfort Food** (T)(R) **11.30 Come Dine with Me** (T)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (T) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (T)(R) **2.10 Countdown** With Dictionary Corner guest Len Goodman. (T) **3.00 Fifteen to One** General knowledge quiz. (T) **4.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (T) **5.00 Come Dine with Me** (T) **5.30 Coach Trip** (T) **6.00 The Simpsons** (T) **6.30 Hollyoaks** Cameron tries to protect his family. (T)

7.00 Channel 4 News (T)
7.55 Turner Prize at 30 (T)

8.00 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD The world turns against SHIELD when Hydra impersonates the organisation to attack the United Nations. (T)

9.00 Gogglebox Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. Narrated by Caroline Aherne. (T)

10.00 Alan Carr: Chatty Man With Russell Brand, David Guetta and Kiesza. (T)

11.05 Toast of London (T)(R)
11.40 FILM 30 Days of Night (2007) (18) Horror, with Josh Hartnett, Danny Huston and Melissa George. (T)

1.40 Boss (T) **2.40 Boss** (T) **3.40 Phil: Secret Agent Down Under** (T)(R) **4.35 Location, Location, Location** (T)(R) **5.30 Kirstie's Vintage Gems** (T)(R) **5.50 NFL: Rush Zone** (T)

Channel 5



Body of Proof, 10pm
6.00 Milkshake! **9.15 The Wright Stuff** **11.10 Cowboy Builders** (T)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (T) **12.15 Underground Britain** (T)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (T) **1.45 Neighbours** (T) **2.15 NCIS** A helicopter is found in a crop circle. (T)(R) **3.15 FILM All I Want for Christmas** (2007) (12) Romantic drama, with Gail O'Grady and Robert Mailhouse. (T) **5.00 5 News at 5** (T) **5.30 Neighbours** The residents of Ramsay Street come together to support Sonya. (T)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Marilyn tells John they should postpone the wedding. (T)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (T)

7.00 World War II in Colour This edition focuses on the final days of Hitler and the Third Reich as German forces were surrounded by Soviet troops from the east and the Allies' advance from the west. (T) **5 News Update** (T)

8.00 Ice Road Truckers VP Express finally delivers its first load, but things remain frosty between driver Art and his bosses Hugh and Vlad, while Polar Industries secures a lucrative new contract. (T) **5 News at 9** (T)

9.00 Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild Ben journeys to the Alaskan wilderness to spend time with Mike and Fran Turner. (T)

10.00 Body of Proof Philadelphia is plunged into darkness when a plane crashes into a power station. (T)
10.55 NCIS: Los Angeles A video of kidnapped agent Dominic Vail is posted on a jihadist website. (T)

11.55 Access Showbiz news and gossip.

12.00 SuperCasino **3.10 Muggings & Mayhem: Caught on Camera** (T)(R) **4.00 Michaela's Wild Challenge** (T)(R) **4.25 Divine Designs** (T)(R) **4.45 House Doctor** (T)(R) **5.10 House Doctor** (T)(R) **5.35 HouseBusters** (T)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.25 You've Been Framed! **6.45 Emmerdale** **8.15 The Cube** **9.15 Royal Pains** **10.15 The Chase** **11.15 All Star Family Fortunes** **12.15 Emmerdale** **1.50 Royal Pains** **2.45 The Jeremy Kyle Show** **6.00 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here!** **7.00 You've Been Framed!** **7.35 FILM: Ocean's Thirteen** (2007) (PG) **10.00 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here Now!** **11.00 Celebrity Juice** **11.50 Plebs** **12.20 Two and a Half Men** **1.05 Warren United** **1.30 Dads** **1.50 Fake Reaction** **2.25 Teleshopping** **5.55 ITV2 Nightscreen**
ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
7.20 French Fields **7.55 George and Mildred** **8.25 Wycliffe** **9.35 Judge Judy** **10.55 A Touch of Frost** **12.50 Heartbeat** **1.55 The Memoirs of Sherlock Holmes** **3.00 Wycliffe** **4.10 Faith in the Future** **4.40 French Fields** **5.15 George and Mildred** **5.50 Heartbeat** **6.50 Wycliffe** **8.00 Doc Martin** **9.00 Midsomer Murders** **11.00 Cracker** **12.10 A Touch of Frost** **2.00 Judge Judy** **2.20 World Kitchen** **3.10 ITV3 Nightscreen** **3.40 Emmerdale**

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Great Movie Mistakes **7.15 Atlantis** **8.00 Motorway Cops** **9.00 Edinburgh Comedy Fest Live** **2011** **10.00 Bad Education** **10.30 EastEnders** **11.00 Family Guy** **12.30 Sweat the Small Stuff** **1.00 Some Girls** **1.30 Bad Education** **2.00 Life Is Toff** **2.30 Edinburgh Comedy Fest Live** **2011** **3.30 Sweat the Small Stuff** **4.00 Close**
BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30 Plácido Domingo's Gala Concert** **9.00 A Pink Floyd Miscellany: 1967-2005** **10.00 Play It Loud: The Story of the Marshall Amp** **11.00 Pink Floyd: Wish You Were Here** **12.00 Great Guitar Riffs at the BBC** **1.00 A Pink Floyd Miscellany: 1967-2005** **2.00 Play It Loud: The Story of the Marshall Amp** **3.00 Pink Floyd: Wish You Were Here** **4.00 Close**
E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
7.15 One Tree Hill **8.00 Suburgatory** **8.30 Happy Endings** **9.00 Rules of Engagement** **10.00 Charmed**

12.00 Hollyoaks **12.30 Paternity Court** **1.00 How I Met Your Mother** **2.00 The Big Bang Theory** **3.00 My Fair Wedding** **4.00 Melissa & Joey** **4.30 Suburgatory** **5.00 How I Met Your Mother** **6.00 The Big Bang Theory** **7.00 Hollyoaks** **7.30 Melissa & Joey** **8.00 The Big Bang Theory** **9.00 FILM: The Fourth Kind** (2009) (15) **11.05 The Big Bang Theory** **12.05 Tattoos After Dark** **12.35 Drifters** **1.10 Bad Robots** **1.40 Almost Royal** **2.10 The Cleveland Show** **2.35 Paternity Court** **2.55 Franklin & Bash** **3.40 One Tree Hill** **4.20 Charmed**
MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **10.00 Four Rooms** **11.05 FILM: The War Lord** (1965) (PG) **1.25 Time Team** **3.35 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** **4.40 A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun** **5.45 Big Fat Gypsy Weddings** **6.50 Location, Location, Location Australia** **7.55 Grand Designs** **9.00 FILM: Taken** (2008) (15) **11.00 8 Out of 10 Cats Uncut** **11.50 Father Ted** **12.20 Embarrassing Bodies** **1.25 Location, Location, Location Australia** **2.30 Hostages** **3.35 Close**

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 The Guns of Fort Petticoat (1957) (PG) **12.40 The Time Machine** (1960) (PG) **2.45 Broken Lance** (1954) (U) **4.40 It's a Wonderful Life** (1946) (U) **7.15 Hot Shots!** (1991) (PG) **9.00 Rush Hour 3** (2007) (12) **10.45 Adrift** (2006) (15) **12.35 The Keep** (1983) (18) **2.25 Rec 2** (2009) (18) **4.00 Close**
DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 American Pickers **8.00 Top Gear** **10.00 Traffic Cops** **11.00 American Pickers** **12.00 Top Gear** **2.00 Traffic Cops** **3.00 American Pickers** **4.00 Top Gear** **6.00 Traffic Cops** **7.00 American Pickers** **8.00 Storage Hunters UK** **9.00 Storage Hunters** **10.00 Would I Lie to You?** **10.40 QI XL** **11.40 8 Out of 10 Cats** **12.40 Russell Kane: Smokescreens & Castles** **1.55 Would I Lie to You?** **2.25 Storage Hunters** **2.50 Suits** **3.35 Traffic Cops** **4.00 Close**
SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Real A&E **7.00 Greggs: More Than Meats the Pie** **8.00 Futurama** **9.00 NCIS: Los Angeles** **11.00**

Hawaii Five-O **1.00 NCIS: Los Angeles** **3.00 Obese: A Year to Save My Life USA** **4.00 Greggs: More Than Meats the Pie** **5.00 The Simpsons** **5.30 Futurama** **6.30 The Simpsons** **9.00 Football's Funniest Moments** **10.00 Micky Flanagan's Detour de France** **11.00 Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets** **12.00 NCIS: Los Angeles** **1.00 Hawaii Five-O** **4.00 Stargate Atlantis** **5.00 Crash Test Dummies**
SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Stargate Atlantis **7.00 thirtysomething** **8.00 Star Trek: Enterprise** **9.00 Without a Trace** **10.00 The Petrol Age** **11.00 House** **1.00 Stargate Atlantis** **2.00 Without a Trace** **3.00 Star Trek: Enterprise** **4.00 House** **6.00 Blue Bloods** **7.00 Without a Trace** **8.00 David Attenborough's Galapagos** **9.00 Blue Bloods** **10.00 House of Lies** **10.35 David Attenborough's Galapagos** **11.35 Curb Your Enthusiasm** **12.10 Urban Secrets** **1.10 Networks of Power with Sir Christopher Meyer** **2.10 This Is Jinsy** **2.40 The Sopranos** **3.50 Blue Bloods: Meet the Characters** **4.00 thirtysomething**

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Saturday November 29th

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BBC1

Casualty,
9pm

6.00 Breakfast (T) **10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** (T) **11.30 James Martin: Home Comforts** (T) **12.00 BBC News: Weather** (T) **12.10 Football Focus** (T) **12.50 Saturday Sportsday** (T) **1.00 Live Snooker: UK Championship** (T) **2.00 Live International Rugby Union Wales v South Africa** (kick-off 2.30pm). Presented by John Inverdale. (T) **4.30 Final Score** A round-up of this afternoon's football results. (T) **5.25 Celebrity Mastermind** (T)(R) **5.55 BBC News: Regional News: Weather** (T) **6.10 Pointless Celebrities** A star-studded dance edition of the general knowledge quiz. (T)

7.00 Strictly Come Dancing The couples perform routines on an Around the World theme.

8.15 Atlantis A stranger offers to help Ariadne save her city. (T)

9.00 Casualty Ash is angered by a patient's lifestyle choice. (T) **9.50 The National Lottery Live** Jenni Falconer hosts the Lotto and Thunderball draws. (T)

10.00 BBC News: Weather (T) **10.20 Match of the Day** Gary Lineker presents highlights of the latest Premier League clashes, including Sunderland v Chelsea at the Stadium of Light; (T) **National Lottery Update** (T)

11.50 The Football League Show Manish Bhasin presents highlights and all the goals from the latest fixtures in the Championship, League One and League Two. (T)

1.10 Weather for the Week Ahead (T) **1.15 BBC News** (T)

BBC2

Perry and
Croft:
Made in
Britain,
8pm

6.00 CBBC **11.00 The Blue Planet** (T) (R) **12.00 Rick Stein's Far Eastern Odyssey** (T)(R) **1.00 Escape to the Country** (T)(R) **2.00 Live Snooker: UK Championship** The second round continues at the Barbican Centre in York. (T) **5.30 Restoring England's Heritage** Historic buildings in need of restoration in the north-east and Cumbria. (T) **6.00 Natural World: Jungle Gremlins of Java** Dr Anna Nekaris travels to the Indonesian island of Java to investigate the slow loris, a primate often considered cute, yet able to deliver a deadly toxic bite. (T)(R)

7.00 Flog It! From Bangor, north Wales. (T)

8.00 Perry and Croft: Made in Britain How the duo's sitcoms chronicled British people's attitudes to love and sex. (T) **8.30 Dad's Army** Sergeant Wilson joins the aristocracy. (T)(R)

9.00 QI XL Extended edition. With Josh Widdicombe, Aisling Bea and Tony Hawks. (T) **9.45 Tomorrow's Worlds: The Unearthly History of Science Fiction** (T)

10.45 Intruders Jack makes a gruesome discovery in his back garden. (T)

11.30 Snooker: UK Championship Action from the second round at the Barbican Centre in York. (T)

12.20 Snooker: UK Championship Extra (T) **2.20 This Is BBC Two** (T)

ITV

I'm a
Celebrity
Get Me Out
of Here!,
9.45pm

6.00 CITV **9.25 Dinner Date** (T)(R) **10.20 Murder, She Wrote** (T)(R) **11.15 ITV News: Weather** (T) **11.20 All Star Family Fortunes** (T)(R) **12.05 Surprise Surprise** A youth worker meets Rio Ferdinand. (T)(R) **1.05 Doc Martin** (T) (R) **2.05 Keep It in the Family** Six stars of Benidorm help contestants win prizes. (T)(R) **3.10 Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone** (2001) (PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Daniel Radcliffe. (T) **6.00 ITV Regional News: Weather** (T) **6.15 ITV News** (T) **6.30 New You've Been Framed!** Comedy from the mind of Harry Hill, inspired by viewers' videos. (T)

7.00 The Chase: Celebrity Special Chat-show host Jonathan Ross, comedienne and writer Katy Brand, Watchdog's Chris Hollins and model Jo Wood take on a trivia expert for charity. Bradley Walsh asks the questions. (T)

8.00 The X Factor The aspiring pop stars hope to turn another week of rehearsals into a winning performance as they battle for places in next week's semi-final. Dermot O'Leary hosts. The results are tomorrow at 8pm. (T)

9.45 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here! Ant and Dec present all the highs and lows from the past 24 hours in the Australian jungle as the campmates spend another day battling bugs and Bushtucker Trials. (T)

10.50 The Jonathan Ross Show The host chats to actor James McAvoy, presenter Phillip Schofield, comedienne Sarah Millican, Olympic gold medallist Jessica Ennis-Hill and singer Barry Manilow. (T)

11.55 ITV News (T)

12.14 ITV Regional Weather (T) **12.15 Coogan's Bluff** (1968) (15) Crime drama, with Clint Eastwood. (T) **1.50 Jackpot247** **3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA** (T)(R) **3.45 ITV Nightscreen**

Channel 4

Walking
Through
History:
England's
Last Battle
- West
Country,
8pm

6.15 Snowman Triathlon (T) **6.40 Cycling: Revolution Series** Action from the second round of the series in Manchester. (T) **7.40 A Day at the Races** (T)(R) **7.55 The Morning Line** A look ahead to this afternoon's racing at Newbury and Newcastle. (T) **9.00 Weekend Kitchen** (T) **10.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (T)(R) **10.30 Frasier** (T)(R) **11.00 The Big Bang Theory** (T) **11.55 The Simpsons** (T)(R) **12.25 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD** (T)(R) **1.25 Channel 4 Racing** Live coverage from Newbury and Newcastle. (T) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** (T)(R) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (T)

7.00 Woolly Mammoth: The Autopsy Documentary following an international team of specialists and cloning scientists carrying out a historic autopsy on an extraordinarily well-preserved woolly mammoth. (R)

8.00 Walking Through History: England's Last Battle - West Country Tony Robinson hikes up from Lyme Regis in Dorset to the Somerset Levels telling the story of the 1685 Monmouth Rebellion. Last in the series. (T)

9.00 The Inbetweeners Movie (2011) (15) Awkward teenagers Simon, Will, Jay and Neil head to Greece for a wild holiday - but things do not go to plan. Comedy, with Joe Thomas and Simon Bird. (T)

11.00 The Sitter (2011) (15) Premiere. Comedy, starring Jonah Hill and Max Records. (T)

12.40 Boomerang (1992) (15) Romantic comedy, starring Eddie Murphy. (T) **2.40 Hollyoaks** (T)(R) **4.40 SuperScrippers** (T)(R) **5.00 Location, Location, Location** (T)(R) **5.55 NFL: Rush Zone** (T)

Channel 5

Can't Pay?
We'll Take
It Away,
10.40am

6.00 Milkshake! **10.00 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles** (T)(R) **10.35 Access 10.40 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (T)(R) **11.40 Lost at Christmas** (2007) (PG) (T) **1.25 The March Sisters at Christmas** (2012) (PG) (T) **3.10 I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus** (2002) (PG) Family comedy, starring Connie Sellecca. (T) **5.00 A Fairytale Christmas** (2013) (PG) Premiere. Romantic drama, starring C Thomas Howell. (T) **6.45 5 News Weekend** (T) **6.50 The Bridge at Remagen** (1969) (PG) Second World War adventure, starring George Segal. (T)

9.00 The Expendables (2010) (15) A mercenary team is double-crossed while on a mission to kill a South American dictator. Action thriller, directed by and starring Sylvester Stallone. (T)

11.10 War (2007) (18) Martial arts thriller, with Jet Li. (T)

1.10 SuperCasino **3.10 Gotham** (T)(R) **4.00 House Doctor** (T)(R) **4.25 Make It Big** (T)(R) **4.50 Make It Big** (T)(R) **5.15 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R) **5.20 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R) **5.30 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R) **5.40 Roary the Racing Car** (T)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Kesh: The Hot Desk **6.10 Emmerdale** **9.05 Coronation Street** **11.30 FILM: Free Willy 3: The Rescue** (1997) (U) **1.20 FILM: Small Soldiers** (1998) (PG) **3.30 FILM: Rumor Has It** (2005) (12) Romantic comedy, starring Jennifer Aniston and Kevin Costner. **5.30 You've Been Framed!** **6.00 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here!** **7.00 FILM: The Perfect Storm** (2000) (12) Fact-based disaster drama, starring George Clooney. **9.45 The Xtra Factor** **10.50 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here Now!** **11.50 The X Factor** **1.40 The Xtra Factor** **2.35 Example: The Hot Desk** **2.45 Teleshopping** **5.45 ITV2 Nightscreen**

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 Judge Judy **6.20 FILM: The Three Musketeers** (1973) (PG) **8.30 The Royal** **10.35 The Darling Buds of May** **12.50 FILM: Columbo: Swan Song** (1974) (PG) **2.55 A Touch of Frost** **4.55 Agatha Christie's Marple** **6.55 Rosemary & Thyme** **8.00 Doc Martin** **9.00 Foyle's War** **11.00 A Touch of Frost** **12.40 Bomb Girls** **1.30**

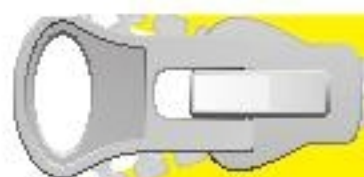
World Kitchen 1.55 ITV3 Nightscreen 2.30

Teleshopping **BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7** **7.00 International Rugby Union** **8.00 Top Gear** **9.00 Sherlock** **10.30 Live at the Apollo** **11.00 Family Guy** **1.35 Some Girls** **2.05 Live at the Apollo** **2.35 Life Is Toff** **3.05 Sweat the Small Stuff** **3.35 Fried** **4.00 Close** **BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9** **7.00 Ice Age Giants** **8.00 Sex and Sensibility: The Allure of Art Nouveau** **9.00 Inspector Montalbano** **10.40 Imagine: Dame Shirley Bassey: The Girl from Tiger Bay** **11.40 Shirley Bassey at the BBC** **12.40 Top of the Pops: 1979** **1.15 Sounds of the 70s** **1.45 Ice Age Giants** **2.45 Sex and Sensibility: The Allure of Art Nouveau** **3.45 Close** **E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28** **6.00 The 100** **6.45 My Fair Wedding** **7.35 Paternity Court** **8.30 Rules of Engagement** **10.00 My Fair Wedding** **11.00 Melissa & Joey** **12.00 How I Met Your Mother** **1.00 FILM: Mighty Joe Young** (1998) (PG)

Family adventure remake, with Charlize Theron. **3.15 Rude(ish) Tube Shorts** **3.30 Made in Chelsea** **4.30 Melissa & Joey** **5.30 How I Met Your Mother** **6.00 The Big Bang Theory** **9.00 FILM: Skyline** (2010) (15) Sci-fi thriller, starring Eric Balfour. **10.50 The Inbetweeners Top 10 Moments** **11.55 The Inbetweeners Go Global** **1.00 Rude Tube** **2.00 The Inbetweeners Top 10 Moments** **2.55 How I Met Your Mother** **3.40 New Girl** **4.05 How I Met Your Mother** **4.25 My Fair Wedding** **MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14** **8.55 Time Team** **11.05 FILM: Bend of the River** (1952) (PG) **12.55 Four in a Bed** **3.35 Penelope Keith's Hidden Villages** **4.40 Homes by the Sea** **5.50 The World's Weirdest Weather** **6.50 The World's Most Extreme** **7.55 Father Ted** **9.00 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown** **11.05 My Big Fat Fetish** **12.10 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown** **2.20 My Big Fat Fetish** **3.25 River Cottage Bites** **3.35 Close** **FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15** **11.00 Gunman's Walk** (1958) (PG) **1.00 Fool's Gold**

(2008) (12) **3.10 Flight of the Phoenix** (2004) (12) Action adventure, starring Dennis Quaid. **5.20 Meet Dave** (2008) (PG) Sci-fi comedy, starring Eddie Murphy. **7.15 Bride Wars** (2009) (12) Comedy, starring Kate Hudson and Anne Hathaway. **9.00 The Taking of Pelham 123** (2009) (15) Thriller remake, starring Denzel Washington and John Travolta. **11.05 Watchmen** (2009) (18) Comic-book drama, starring Patrick Wilson and Jackie Earle Haley. **2.15 Rec 3: Genesis** (2012) (18) **3.55 Close** **DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12** **7.10 Meat Men** **8.00 Top Gear** **10.00 Storage Hunters** **11.00 Storage Hunters UK** **12.00 Lizard Lick Towing** **1.00 Man v Food** **2.00 Storage Hunters** **3.00 Red Dwarf** **7.00 Storage Hunters UK** **8.00 QI XL** **9.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You** **11.00 Red Dwarf** **2.10 Dara O Brain: School of Hard Sums** **4.00 Close** **SKY1 SKY: 106** **6.00 Dog the Bounty Hunter** **6.30 Glee** **7.30 The**

Fantasy Football Club **8.30 The F1 Show** **10.00 Soccer AM** **12.00 WWE Superstars** **1.00 Get On Up Special** **1.30 Nativity 3: Dude, Where's My Donkey?!** Special **2.00 Last Man Standing** **3.00 All Aboard: East Coast Trains** **5.00 Portrait Artist of the Year 2014** **6.00 The Simpsons** **7.00 NCIS: Los Angeles** **8.00 Hawaii Five-0** **9.00 FILM: Aliens** (1986) (18) Sci-fi thriller sequel, starring Sigourney Weaver. **11.40 A League of Their Own** **12.40 Hawaii Five-0** **1.40 NCIS: Los Angeles** **2.30 Starlings** **4.10 Crash Test Dummies** **SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108** **6.00 Clevrick** **7.00 The Guest Wing** **8.00 Seinfeld** **9.00 Smash** **11.00 Urban Secrets** **12.00 Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations** **1.00 Fish Town** **3.00 Blue Bloods** **6.00 Without a Trace** **8.00 Urban Secrets** **9.00 The Newsroom** **10.15 The Knick** **11.15 Falcon** **12.15 David Attenborough's Galapagos** **1.15 Urban Secrets** **2.10 Curb Your Enthusiasm** **2.45 The Sopranos** **3.50 Blue Bloods: Meet the Characters** **4.00 The Devil's Dinner Party** **5.00 Fish Town**



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BBC1



Antiques Roadshow, 8pm

6.00 Breakfast (T) **7.25 Match of the Day** (T)(R) **9.00 The Andrew Marr Show** (T) **10.00 Fern Britton Meets Donny Osmond** (T) **11.00 Sunday Politics** (T) **12.15 MOTD2 Extra** (T) **1.00 BBC News; Weather** (T) **1.15 Bargain Hunt** (T) **2.15 Homes Under the Hammer** Properties in Cornwall, London and Nottinghamshire. (T)(R) **3.15 Escape to the Country** A family want a home in rural Hampshire. (T)(R) **4.15 Songs of Praise** (T) **4.50 Life Story** The risks animals take in rearing their offspring. Last in the series. (T)(R) **5.50 BBC News; Regional News; Weather** (T) **6.15 Countryfile** (T)

7.15 Strictly Come Dancing: The Results Another couple leave, and Andre Rieu and Alfie Boe perform. (T)

8.00 Antiques Roadshow Fiona Bruce and the experts return to Towneley Hall near Burnley in Lancashire, where items include a collection of cut-throat razors, a mosaic and Lone Ranger memorabilia. (T)

9.00 Remember Me Care worker Hannah discovers Tom has escaped from hospital, so she tries to persuade detective Rob to search Scarborough for the pensioner – but he is unconvinced by her hunch. (T)

10.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather (T) **10.30 Match of the Day 2** Southampton v Manchester City and Tottenham Hotspur v Everton. (T)

11.30 The Apprentice The entrepreneurs head to the countryside, putting together a portfolio of products to take the rural market by storm. (T)(R)

12.30 FILM Color of Night (1994) (18) Psychological thriller, starring Bruce Willis. (T) **2.25 Weather for the Week Ahead** (T) **2.30 BBC News** (T)

BBC2



World's Greatest Food Markets, 9pm

6.00 This Is BBC Two (T) **6.15 Great British Garden Revival** (T)(R) **7.15 Countryfile** (T)(R) **8.15 Glorious Gardens from Above** (T)(R) **9.00 The Football League Show** (T)(R) **10.20 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites** Highlights of the series. (T) **11.50 James Martin: Home Comforts** (T)(R) **12.20 International Rugby Union** England v Australia. (T) **1.20 Live Snooker: UK Championship** The second round continues. (T) **5.30 Glorious Gardens from Above** Christine Walkden explores Oxfordshire. (T)(R) **6.15 Flog It!** From Monmouth, Wales. (T)(R)

7.00 Secrets of the Castle with Ruth, Peter and Tom The team explores the art of medieval combat and the construction of a castle's defences. (T)(R)

8.00 The Mekong River with Sue Perkins The comedienne concludes her epic journey along the Southeast Asian river as she follows the Mekong through China to its source in the Himalayas. Last in the series. (T)

9.00 World's Greatest Food Markets Billingsgate merchant Roger Barton pits himself against traders at New Delhi's Azadpur fruit and vegetable market, which provides food for the whole of India. Last in the series.

10.00 Russell Howard's Good News The comedian's perspective on the news. (T)(R) **10.30 The Wrong Mans** The duo find they have become high-profile fugitives. (T)(R)

11.00 The Wrong Mans Sam and Phil put themselves at risk to save the day. Last in the series. (T)(R) **11.30 Snooker: UK Championship** Highlights from the Barbican Centre in York. (T)

12.20 Snooker: UK Championship Extra (T) **2.20 Sign Zone: Countryfile** (T)(R) **3.20 Holby City** (T)(R) **4.20 This Is BBC Two** (T)

ITV



Keep It in the Family, 7pm

6.00 CITV 9.25 Dickinson's Real Deal From Kidderminster, Worcestershire. (T)(R) **10.25 Murder, She Wrote** Jessica's friend is suspected of murder. (T)(R) **11.25 ITV News; Weather** (T) **11.35 FILM Carry On Again Doctor (1969)** (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James. (T) **1.20 The Unforgettable Pat Phoenix** (T)(R) **1.55 All Star Family Fortunes** (T)(R) **2.55 The X Factor** The acts compete for places in next week's semi-final. (T)(R) **4.40 Midsomer Murders** A boxer's success stirs up hidden passions. (T)(R) **6.30 ITV Regional News; Weather** (T) **6.45 ITV News** (T)

7.00 Keep It in the Family Former I'm a Celebrity contestants Katie Price, Helen Flanagan, Joe Pasquale, Joe Swash, Kim Woodburn and Sinitta help families win prizes. Last in the series. (T)

8.00 The X Factor Results The remaining contestants wait with bated breath as Dermot O'Leary reveals who is safe and which acts will be battling it out in the sing-off for a place in next week's semi-final. (T)

9.00 I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here! Ant and Dec interview today's eliminated contestant about their time in the camp, and present the usual round-up of highlights from the past 24 hours. (T)

10.05 ITV News; Weather (T) **10.20 The Cube** A windsurfing instructor and a seamstress tackle a series of tough challenges, from agility tests to skills trials, aiming to win a jackpot of £250,000. (T)(R)

11.20 Premiership Rugby Union Highlights of the latest top-flight fixtures.

12.10 The Store 2.30 Motorsport UK (T) **3.20 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA** (T) (R) **4.05 ITV Nightscreen 5.05 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (T)(R)

Channel 4



Homeland, 9pm

6.20 NFL: The American Football Show (T)(R) **7.15 How I Met Your Mother** (T)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (T)(R) **8.25 Frasier** (T)(R) **8.55 Jamie's Comfort Food** (T)(R) **9.30 Sunday Brunch** With Aziz Ansari, Susie Dent, Gareth Thomas and McBusted. (T) **12.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces** (T)(R) **1.35 The Big Bang Theory** (T) **2.35 The Simpsons** (T)(R) **3.35 FILM Inkheart (2008)** (PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Brendan Fraser. (T) **5.45 FILM Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs (2009)** (U) Animated adventure sequel, with the voice of John Leguizamo. (T)

7.30 Channel 4 News (T)

8.00 The Great Wall of China: The Hidden Story – Secret History Documentary shedding light on the vast edifice and its history. (T)

9.00 Homeland Carrie organises a last-ditch operation, while Lockhart and Martha do their utmost to stall Inter-Services Intelligence. Claire Danes stars in the CIA thriller. (T)

10.00 Jimmy Carr: Laughing & Joking Stand-up comedy with the host of 8 Out of 10 Cats, recorded at London's Hammersmith Apollo in November last year, featuring his familiar brand of near-the-knuckle humour. (T)

11.05 Alan Carr: Chatty Man Comedian and actor Russell Brand talks about his new book Revolution. (T)(R)

12.05 Confessions of a Doctor (T)(R) **1.05 According to Jim** (T)(R) **1.25 American Football Live**. (T) **4.45 Snowman Triathlon** (T)(R) **5.10 Win It Cook It** (T)(R) **5.35 Countdown** (T)(R)

Channel 5



Police Interceptors, 10.30am

6.00 Milkshake! 9.50 Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles The quartet face an army of robot foot-soldiers. (T)(R) **10.25 Access** Showbiz news and gossip. (R) **10.30 Police Interceptors** (T)(R) **1.30 FILM Noel (2004)** (PG) Drama, starring Susan Sarandon. (T) **3.20 FILM Matchmaker Santa (2012)** (PG) Romantic comedy, with Lacey Chabert and Adam Mayfield. (T) **5.00 FILM Annie Claus Is Coming to Town (2011)** (PG) Christmas fantasy, starring Maria Thayer. (T) **6.45 5 News Weekend** (T) **6.50 FILM Planet of the Apes (2001)** (12) Sci-fi adventure remake, starring Mark Wahlberg. (T)

9.00 FILM The Expendables 2 (2012) (15) Premiere. The mercenary team battles a rival band of hired guns who have killed one of their number. Action thriller sequel, starring Sylvester Stallone. (T)

11.05 FILM Universal Soldier (1992) (18) Sci-fi thriller, with Jean-Claude Van Damme and Dolph Lundgren. (T)

1.05 SuperCasino 3.10 The Gadget Show (T)(R) **4.00 House Doctor** (T)(R) **4.20 Make It Big** (T)(R) **4.45 Make It Big** (T)(R) **5.15 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R) **5.20 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R) **5.30 Angels of Jarm** (T)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Emmerdale **9.00** Coronation Street **11.30** The X Factor **1.25** The Xtra Factor **2.25** Kiesza: The Hot Desk **2.40** FILM: Nanny McPhee and the Big Bang (2010) (U) **4.50** I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here! **5.50** FILM: She's the Man (2006) (12) **8.00** Scorpion **9.00** The Xtra Factor **10.05** I'm a Celebrity Get Me Out of Here Now! **11.05** Educating Joey Essex: Space Cadet **12.05** Two and a Half Men **1.00** Dads **1.25** Fake Reaction **2.00** The Vampire Diaries **2.45** Kiesza: The Hot Desk **2.50** Teleshopping **5.50** ITV2 Nightscreen
ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Judge Judy **6.20** Wycliffe **7.25** FILM: On the Buses (1971) (PG) **9.15** Heartbeat **11.20** A Touch of Frost **1.35** FILM: Columbo: Negative Reaction (1974) (PG) **3.40** FILM: The Nun's Story (1959) (PG) Drama, starring Audrey Hepburn. **6.45** Inspector Morse **9.00** Lewis **11.00** Wycliffe **12.10** FILM: The Elephant Man (1980) (PG) **2.20** Judge Judy **3.05** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Great TV Mistakes **8.00** Doctor Who **9.00** Edinburgh Comedy Fest Live 2012 **10.00** Family Guy **10.45** American Dad! **11.30** Some Girls **12.00** Life Is Toff **12.30** Edinburgh Comedy Fest Live 2012 **1.30** Sweat the Small Stuff **2.00** The Revolution Will Be Televised **3.30** Life Is Toff **4.00** Close
BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 The Great War **7.40** Britain's Wild Places **8.00** The Day of the Triffids **9.00** Blonkie: One Way or Another **10.10** FILM: Ca\$h (2008) (12) Premiere. Comedy thriller, starring Jean Dujardin and Jean Reno. **11.50** Pink Floyd: Wish You Were Here **12.50** Play It Loud: The Story of the Marshall Amp **1.50** Great Guitar Riffs at the BBC **2.50** Top of the Pops: 1979 – Big Hits **3.50** Close
E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 My Fair Wedding **6.50** Rules of Engagement **8.30** My Fair Wedding **9.30** Melissa & Joey **10.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** Made in Chelsea **1.30** How I Met Your Mother

2.00 FILM: Chalet Girl (2011) (12) **3.55** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **4.00** Melissa & Joey **5.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **6.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.30** The Inbetweeners: Their Favourite Episodes **11.45** The Inbetweeners Go Global **12.50** Drifters **1.25** Bad Robots **1.55** New Girl **2.45** Rules of Engagement **3.30** Hollyoaks
MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Location, Location, Location **11.00** Penelope Keith's Hidden Villages **12.05** Homes by the Sea **1.05** Car SOS **2.05** Gadget Man **2.40** Four in a Bed **5.25** Come Dine with Me **8.00** Grand Designs **9.00** Britain's Killer Storms **10.35** Britain's Most Extreme Weather **11.40** Father Ted **12.45** Embarrassing Fat Bodies **1.55** Britain's Killer Storms **3.25** River Cottage Bites **3.40** Close
FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Broken Lance (1954) (U) **1.00** Bride and Prejudice (2004) (12) **3.15** Ramona and Beezus (2010) (U) **5.20** Soroged (1988) (PG) **7.15** Airplane! (1980) (PG) Spoof disaster movie, starring Robert

Hays. **9.00** The Cold Light of Day (2012) (15) Thriller, starring Henry Cavill. **10.55** Premonition (2007) (12) Supernatural thriller, starring Sandra Bullock. **12.50** A Story of Children and Film (2013) (PG) **3.05** Close
DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 The World of Stupid Criminals **7.35** Storage Hunters **8.20** Trawlermen **9.20** Top Gear **10.25** Top Gear Africa Special **1.00** Storage Hunters UK **6.00** Red Bull Cliff Diving 2014 **6.40** World's Most Dangerous Roads **8.00** Top Gear Africa Special **10.40** 8 Out of 10 Cats **11.30** Russell Howard's Good News Extra **12.30** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **1.30** 8 Out of 10 Cats **2.15** Dara O Briain: School of Hard Sums **4.00** Close
SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** Are You Smarter Than a 10 Year Old? **8.00** Glee **9.00** Nativity 3: Dude, Where's My Donkey?! Special **9.30** The Hunger Games: Mockingjay – Part One Special **10.00** WWE Superstars **11.00** WWE: Experience **12.00** Ashley Banjo's Secret Street

Crew **1.00** Last Man Standing **2.00** All Aboard: East Coast Trains **4.00** Futurama **4.30** The Simpsons **6.30** Futurama **7.00** The Flash **8.00** Modern Family **8.30** Trolled **9.00** Hawaii Five-0 **10.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Road Wars **11.30** The Cafe **12.30** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.20** Hawaii Five-0 **2.10** Spy **3.00** Costa Del Street Crime **4.00** Crash Test Dummies **5.00** Airline USA
SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Cleverdicks **7.00** The Pitch **8.00** The Guest Wing **9.00** Seinfeld **10.00** Smash **12.00** Urban Secrets **1.00** Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations **2.00** Friday Night Lights **3.00** Blue Bloods **5.00** Without a Trace **8.00** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **9.00** Game of Thrones **10.10** FILM: American Psycho (2000) (18) Satirical drama, starring Christian Bale. **12.10** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets **1.05** True Detective **2.20** The Sopranos **3.30** The Devil's Dinner Party **4.30** Micro Monsters with David Attenborough **5.00** Fish Town



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What's on in HAMPSHIRE | NEWS

Mixing it up in 'Stoke

THE Great British Bake Off judge Paul Hollywood will be spicing things up at The Anvil this Sunday.

The 48-year-old is stopping off in Basingstoke on his UK tour, 'British Baking Live'.

Paul will get an audience involved to help bake up a treat.

"I'll be demoing a couple [of things] from my new book, and some Christmas recipes such as a Christmas pudding as its one of my favourites. I love Christmas pudding with custard," he said.

"I tend to choose recipes that people are always asking me questions about, as well as ones I really like."

Paul's catering career launched in Liverpool, his home town, when he worked in his dad's bakery as a teenager.

He went on to become head baker at top class hotels, including The Dorchester Hotel in London and The Cliveden Hotel in Buckinghamshire.

The TV personality also moved into the baking book business with four books, and this year's 'Paul Hollywood's British Baking'.

By James Richings

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And there's more to look forward to in case hearts sank at the end of this year's The Great British Bake Off TV series.

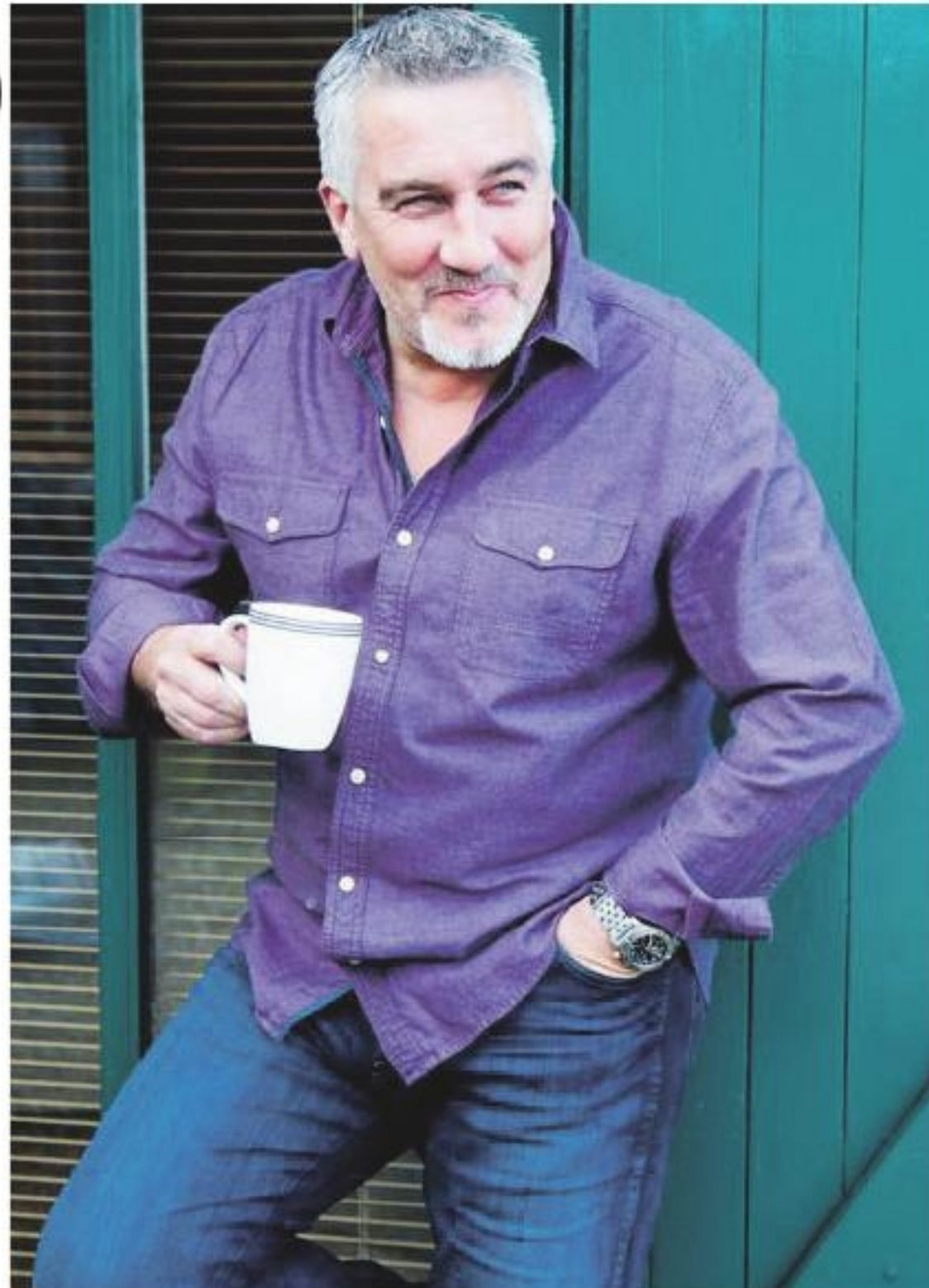
He revealed: "We'll be filming another celebrity special of 'Bake Off' which should come out in January and there is a Christmas 'Bake Off' to look forward to with Mary [Berry] and myself which should be out just before Christmas."

Paul is hosting two shows at The Anvil in Churchill Way on November 30, at 2.30pm and 8pm.

Tickets cost £29.50 or £76 for VIP passes.

His advice for advice for aspiring bakers: "Go out and get some work experience. Talk to your local bakery and tell them you're interested."

"Say you'd like to work for them at the weekends, probably for nothing to start off with, but then make yourself indispensable and learn how they do it."



Great Beauty

CRITICALLY acclaimed Italian film, 'The Great Beauty' will be screened at the Proteus Theatre next week.

Starring Toni Servillo as Jep Gambardella, the audience meets a socialite who has seduced his way through the lavish nightlife of Rome for decades.

But after his 65th birthday, Jep looks past the nightclubs reflecting on life and a sense of unfulfilment with it.

The 2013 film won Best Foreign Language Film at the 86th Academy Awards, Golden Globe and BAFTA award.

It will be in Italian with English subtitles, running from 7pm at the Council Road theatre on December 4.

Tickets cost £5. Call 01256 321621 for more details.

Robin Ince

SONY Gold Award winning comedian and science enthusiast Robin Ince will be at the Phoenix Theatre and Arts Centre tomorrow.

The 43-year-old is also known for presenting 'The Infinite Monkey Cage' on BBC Radio 4 with fellow presenter Brian Cox.

Tickets cost £13 for the gig, starting 8pm on November 28 in Station Road, Bordon.

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What's on in HAMPSHIRE | NEWS

Mozart Festival Orchestra

FANS of classical music are gearing up for 'Classic By Candlelight: Mozart Festival Orchestra' at The Anvil next Wednesday, December 3.

Music from legendary composers such as Bach, Handel, Vivaldi and Mozart will be on the score as part of a European Tour heading also to the Royal Albert Hall in London.

By James Richings

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Conductor and violinist David Juritz told the Observer: "I performed in the very first series of concerts at The Anvil when it opened in 1994 and have been

back many times since then.

"The hall has one of the best acoustics in the country so it's always a treat to play there."

Born in Cape Town, South Africa, David won a scholarship from the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, to study at the Royal College of Music (RCM) in London with fel-

low violinists Hugh Bean and Jaroslav Vanecek.

During his time at the RCM, he won a number of major prizes for violin including the college's highest award, the Tagore Gold Medal.

"It's going to be different from your average concert," the 56-year-old promised.

"For a start we're all dressed in period costume, which really does set the mood for the evening.

"Somehow the costumes seem to bring out the theatrical side of the players as well which results in some very lively performances."

He added: "The Mozart Festival Orchestra has some of the finest players in the UK among its ranks and it is a real privilege to play with them.

"Trumpeter, Crispian Steele-Perkins, is an amazingly charismatic performer and always seems to have loads of fans in the audience.

"On the other hand Keri Fuge has a wonderfully pure voice, and I'm sure her vocal fireworks in Mozart's Exsultate Jubilate will create a bit of a stir."

After the concert, David plans to meet and greet members of the audience in the foyer of the theatre.

The orchestra starts at 7.45pm. Tickets cost from £20.50 to £33.50.

• Conductor and violinist David Juritz

A shoe hunt

EXPLORE an island of lost shoes with clowning, mime and beautifully crafted puppets at the Phoenix Theatre and Arts Centre this Saturday.

Garlic Theatre brings 'Shoe Kangaroo and the Big Bad Boot' to the Station Road theatre in Bordon.

Tickets cost £6 for adults, £4 for children or £18 for a family of four.

Orchestra

THE Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra will be at The Anvil tonight.

Mahler's 'Blumine', Beethoven's 'Triple Concerto' and Shostakovich's, 'Symphony no.5' aims to bring an evening of powerful music to the Churchill Way theatre on November 27.

Tickets cost from £10 to £39, and the show starts from 7.45pm.

Show of Hands

ACOUSTIC and folk duo A Show of Hands are at The Anvil tomorrow, November 28.

Steve Knightley and Phil Beer have sold out the Royal Albert Hall four times and are triple winners at the BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards since pairing up 23 years ago.

The show, at 7.45pm, also features double-bassist Miranda Sykes and costs from £14 to £22.



What's on in HAMPSHIRE | LISTINGS

27 November 2014, 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

The Basingstoke Discovery Centre
AUGUST: OSAGE COUNTY

"On November 27, The Basingstoke Discovery Centre, located on Festival Way will be showing the 2013 blockbuster 'August: Osage County'. Starring Meryl Streep and Julia Roberts, we see a family go through a crisis where fights are started and secrets are revealed.

Two screenings will take place at 1pm and 3pm, with both screenings being free.
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28 November 2014 8:00 pm

Phoenix Theatre & Arts Centre
ROBIN INCE

"Sony Gold Award winning comedian and science enthusiast Robin Ince will be at the Phoenix Theatre & Arts Centre tomorrow evening, Friday, November 28, located on Station Road in Bordon. The 43-year-old is also known for presenting, 'The Infinite Monkey Cage' on BBC Radio 4 with fellow presenter, Brian Cox. Tickets cost £13
www.phoenixarts.co.uk

28 November 2014, 5:00 pm-8:30 pm

Allsorts@75, Odiham

ODIHAM EXTRAVAGANZA

"Join us in Odiham High Street with your family & friends to enjoy the annual Christmas Extravaganza - an evening of Seasonal Stalls, Music, Entertainment & Festive Fayre. Be there at 5.30pm to see ex-Hollyoaks star Jeremy Edwards, West End stars Layton Williams & Amanda Goldthorpe-Hall along with other Dick Whittington cast members turn on our Christmas Tree Lights. Families are firmly centre stage and with a selection of festive stalls, food and drink, various street entertainers

and local performers, plus Santa's Grotto, Miller's Ark Animals and traditional rides from Walls Fun Fair" allsortsat75.wordpress.com

28 November 2014, 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm

Newbury Arlington Arts

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"The multi-award winning blues guitarist and singer-songwriter Matt Schofield plays Newbury Arlington Arts on Friday 28th November.

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29 November 2014, 10:00 am-12:30 pm

Oakley Scout HQ

SECOND HAND BOOK & DVD SALE

"We're holding another sale of second-hand books and DVD's at the Scout & Guide Centre Oakley. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be available. We plan the usual relaxed atmosphere, so why not come along with friends, and browse for a good holiday read followed by coffee Free entrance!

29 November 2014, 2:00 pm -7:00 pm

Kempshott Village Hall, Off Pack Lane Kempshott Basingstoke RG22 5HN

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Sale of second hand books and DVD's with a free entrance. Parking in the Scout & Guide HQ car park.

29 November 2014 12:00 pm

-Bramley Village Hall

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The Heckfield Village Hall

Indoor Horse Tack Sale

The Heckfield Village Hall will host an Indoor Horse Tack Sale on November 30.

It will cost £7 a table, where horse lovers can bring all their horse equipment from helmets to rugs.

All proceeds will go to the Wessex Cancer Trust.

Call Andrea on 01256 462 472 for more information. 01256 462 472

30 November 2014, 11:00 am-4:00 pm

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5 December 2014, 6:00 pm - 9:30 pm

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they're not to keen on the design.

You've decided that you are going to spoil your children by purchasing that ONE toy you know your kids will adore, but when they rip open that wrapping paper and see what you've got them, it's the complete opposite of what they originally wanted.

Sometimes the perfect gift that you can buy could be the worst gift you can buy.

Now, after reading this, we don't want you pulling your hair out and start panic buying on things that 'might seem perfect'.

We are here to help YOU find the gift that YOU know is perfect for a certain someone, and trust us; you know when a gift is perfect for someone.

So don't worry if you think there isn't enough time to get the gifts in.

There is still plenty of time until the big day on December 25, to get that perfect present for your loved ones.

Here are a few businesses in and around the Basingstoke area that can help you with your gifts and treats dilemmas.

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To help you with your Christmas dilemmas, the Serendipity Garden Centre have got a wonderful range of Christmas decorations, lights, cards, gifts plus more!

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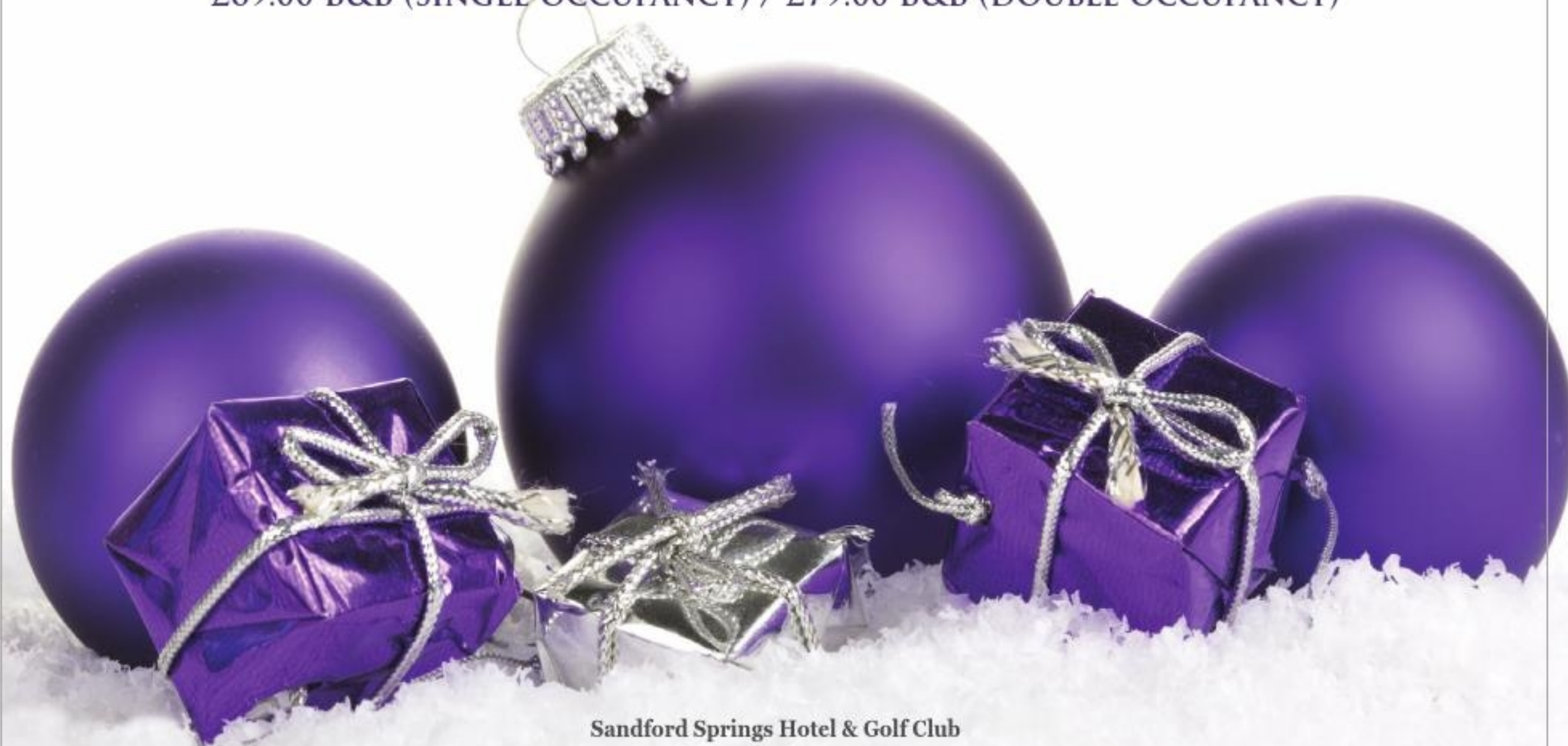
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SMALL city cars come in many shapes and forms, yet with this new Adam ROCKS AIR, Vauxhall has carved out yet another sub-niche – the small urban crossover.

Essentially it's a slighter, taller riding (by 15mm) Adam, with beefed-up plastic cladding and silver-coloured skid plates and bumper inserts, with a choice of 17-inch or 18-inch alloy wheels.

Another key feature of the car is the electric fabric roof – available in a choice of three exterior colours – black, sweet coffee or light oak.

Under the skin there have been tweaks but perhaps most significant is the introduction of Vauxhall's new 1.0 direct injection turbocharged three-cylinder engine.

It's a real gem, proving to be smooth and sweet, even when worked hard.

Performance is certainly brisk, with this little tot whizzing to 62mph in 9.9 seconds and onto a 121mph top speed.

Despite the oomph on tap, it also returns a claimed combined 55.4mpg and emits a healthy 119g/km of CO₂.

In terms of ride, handling and com-

REVIEW: Vauxhall Adam ROCKS AIR
By Phillip Shoulder

fort, this ROCKS AIR sees an improvement over the standard Adam.

It might not have the driving dynamics of a Mini, but it still manages to be enjoyable – aided by that great engine and slick, precise six speed gearbox.

Like the standard Adam, the interior of this ROCKS AIR is hugely appealing.

Leather door trims, a coloured dash insert and a chunky two-tone steering wheel make the car feel interesting and premium.

The large fabric roof also adds extra interest – the only downside being that it does let through some extraneous traffic noise.

But best of all? It can open and close in just five seconds and be operated at speeds of up to 85mph.

Adam offers comfortable accommodation in the front: seats are supportive, and the driving position has plenty of adjustment. However, things in the back are seriously cramped and the 170 litre boot is very small.

Standard equipment levels are pretty good and include: rear privacy glass, 17-inch alloys, air conditioning, DAB, Bluetooth, and cruise.

Disappointingly, the very useful Intellilink infotainment system, which

allows integration with your smart-phone using a range of downloadable apps, costs an extra £275.

Our test car is also packed out with optional goodies but this brings the price tag up to a rather steep £19,365.

Verdict: With distinctive rugged looks and access to wind-in-the-hair motoring, the new mechanical improvements allow the stylish city car to shine – but it's hard to ignore the high list price.

FACTS at a glance

Price from: £16,695

Car as tested, with options: £19,365

Engine: 1.0-litre three-cylinder turbo

Transmission: Six-speed manual, front-wheel drive

Power/torque: 113bhp/166Nm

0-62mph: 9.9 seconds

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Bison triumph against Chieftains and Raiders

BASINGSTOKE Bison picked up two comfortable wins in the British Challenge Cup at the weekend, beating Chelmsford Chieftains 4-1 and Wightlink Raiders 9-1.

A reshuffled team took to the ice for both matches, as some of the younger players were given a chance to impress against the lesser-ranked teams.

Chieftains got off to the better start on Saturday as Ross Brears opened the scoring at 8:47, after being set up by Julian Smith.

It took another eight minutes before Bison could level the match through Aaron Connolly,

Big defeat for Wintney against Cove

HARTLEY Wintney suffered their first loss in a month on Saturday as they crashed to a 4-0 defeat at home to Cove.

It is the second time that Wintney have lost to Cove this season, following a 2-1 loss in the reverse fixture back in August.

Despite the result Wintney stay seventh in the Combined Counties Premier League standings with 30 points, five behind sixth-placed Spelthorne Sports.

Elsewhere, Whitchurch United earned a 1-1 draw away to Lymington Town in the Wessex Premier League.

Joshua Green scored for the Jam Boys to collect a point, putting them in third place in the table and a point behind league leaders Moneyfields.

And Tadley Calvea got back to winning ways with a 2-1 victory away to Laverstock & Ford.

The result keeps Calvea top of the Wessex First Division standings with 25 points, one point clear of second-placed Amesbury Town.

All three teams return to league action on Saturday, as Wintney travel to Camberley Town, Whitchurch host Moneyfields while Calvea are at home to Team Solent.

Whitchurch are also at home to Blackfield & Langley in the Wessex League Cup tomorrow evening from 7.45pm.

By Adam Flinn

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before Joe Baird added a second early in the second period.

Tomas Karpov came close to grabbing a third, but it was instead Ciaran Long that added to Bison's advantage as he fired in a goal at 33:34.

And they completed their scoring with a fourth goal, again scored by Long, through a powerplay in the final period.

The result was even better for Bison on Sunday, as they secured a comfortable 9-1 win against Wightlink Raiders.

Joe Rand opened the scoring just before the six minute mark, before Grant Rounding doubled Bison's lead 10 minutes later.

Raiders were then able to score their one goal soon after on the powerplay, with Craig Tribe firing home from close range.

But Bison took control in the second period by scoring six

goals without reply.

Joe Greener grabbed the first, followed by efforts from Rand, Cameron Wynn, Andy Melachrin and Rounding, before an own goal by Raiders' netminder Shannon Long made the score 8-1.

And Rand completed his hat-trick with the only goal of the third period to top off a winning weekend for Bison.

The results put Bison top of the Cup South standings after 12 matches with 17 points, although Guildford Flames, Swindon Wildcats and Milton Keynes Lightning are all only one point back with a game in hand.

Bison return to English Ice Hockey Premier League Action this weekend, hosting Telford Tigers on Saturday before travelling to Peterborough Phantoms on Sunday.

• Ciaran Long scored in Bison's win against Chelmsford Chieftains (picture by Grant King (5holephotography.co.uk))



Rose finishes season with tied-second result



JUSTIN Rose put in a strong performance ending his European Tour season on a high to finish tied for second at the DP World Tour Championship in Dubai on Sunday.

The North Hampshire golfer (left) ended the tournament on 14 under par, two shots behind winner Henrik Stenson.

Rounds of 71, 66, 68 and 69 meant he finished with the same score as world number one Rory McIlroy.

Rose is up to seventh in the world rankings, and finished third in the European Tour's Race to Dubai leaderboard with 3,180,388 points.

It has been a strong year which saw him pick up his seventh European Tour win of his career at the Scottish Open in July.

He also picked up four other top-10 finishes, coming at the Nedbank Golf Challenge, WGC Bridgestone Invitational, BMW Masters, and in Dubai.

While he wasn't able to defend his US Open title from last year, he came tied 12th in this year's tournament and made the cut at all of the majors in 2014.

Rose also won one event in the American PGA Tour this year, at the Quicken Loans National in June.

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Thrilling victory

RUGBY: Basingstoke RFC ended their miserable run of results with a thrilling 29-28 win at home to Twickenham on Saturday.

Twickenham led 16-12 at the break, but 'Stoke rallied in the second half and had a 29-23 lead with three minutes of the match remaining.

The visitors then scored a try to move within a point of 'Stoke, needing a conversion to take the lead and steal the game.

But the kick went wide of the posts, and 'Stoke were able to hold on to pick up their first win since October 4.

The result moves Basingstoke up a position to 12th in the London 1 South table with 14 points.

'Stoke have a week off before their next game, away to Sutton & Epsom on December 6.

Ladies thrashed

ICE HOCKEY: Basingstoke Bison Ladies suffered a thrashing at the hands of Invicta Dynamics on Saturday, losing the match 11-2.

The result drops Bison to eighth in the nine-team Women's National South Division 1, having scored two points from their two games.

They will hope to make amends on Sunday in their next fixture, when they line up on home ice against Chelmsford Cobras.

Hampshire Cup

FOOTBALL: Basingstoke Town Ladies are in Hampshire Women's FA Cup action on Sunday as they make the short trip to Andover New Street Ladies.

It has been a long wait for the Ladies, who last played on November 9 in a 3-2 defeat to Woodley United in the Southern Region Women's Football League Cup.

Following Sunday's match, Basingstoke next play in the league against Newbury Ladies on December 7.

Thumping win

HOCKEY: It was another win for Basingstoke Hockey Club, as they thrashed Yateley 10-1 to make it three victories in succession.

Dean Record, Dan Bowden, Ben Shaughnessy and Jed Mills all got on the scoresheet.

Basingstoke next play Hamble on Saturday.

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Inside: Bison triumph against Chieftains and Raiders

'STOKE'S WINLESS STREAK GOES ON

BASINGSTOKE Town's winless run in the Vanarama Conference South was extended to three games last Saturday with a 4-3 defeat at Hemel Hempstead Town.

A Jordan Parkes hat-trick and a Jamal Lowe strike condemned Town to a third straight league defeat.

Jason Bristow's side were fourth in the league table as the Basingstoke Observer went to print but a win over Bromley last night would have seen them move up to second.

Basingstoke's attentions now turn to the FA Trophy on Saturday when they welcome Whitehawk to The Soccer AM Stadium.

Town are just one win away from making the first round of the competition but an inform Whitehawk side, who are unbeaten in four league games,

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stand in the way.

But Bristow's side can take comfort from the meeting in the Vanarama Conference South on October 7 when Chris Flood scored the only goal of the game.

However, Town could be without four players as Liam Enver-Marum, Sam Argent, Lloyd Macklin and Simon Dunn were all missing through injury last weekend.

Last Saturday, Town equalised twice but were unable to prevent defeat at the hands of Hemel Hempstead for the second time this season.

Parkes opened the scoring after just four minutes when he smashed the ball into the bottom

corner from 25 yards.

Basingstoke eased their way back into the match and were level on 35 minutes when Manny Williams equalised from close range.

However, it did not take long for the hosts to restore their lead as Parkes fired the ball into the top corner to score a brilliant second on 38 minutes.

Town equalised mid-way through the second half as Jamie Brown prodded home but just five minutes later they were behind again as even a double save from Stuart Moore couldn't prevent Lowe from eventually finding the net.

The match was seemingly put beyond doubt on 78 minutes when Parkes completed his hat-trick, but there was still time for Town to reduce the deficit as top scorer Flood netted with the last kick of the game.



Hemel Hempstead Town 4
Basingstoke Town 3

• Louie Soares is tackled during Basingstoke's 4-3 defeat at Hemel Hempstead Town last Saturday (picture by Les Chase)

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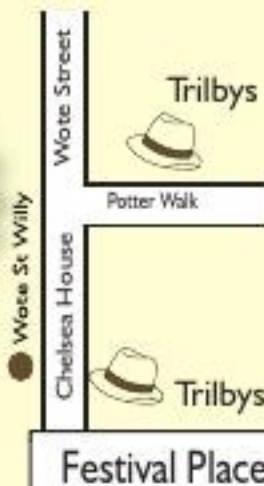
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